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IT CLOSES TODAY

THREE SPEAKERS LAST DAY OF THE SHORT COURSE.

ORCHARDS NOT PAYING

Dr. Whitten Gave Some Reasons—Kempster Says Set Egg Standard High—Trowbridge on Horse.

Friday was the closing day of the short course week which has been conducted here since the first of the week by the state college of agriculture. The course has been very successful and the attendance was much larger today than it has been this week.

Mr. Kempster's talk Friday morning at the short course dealt entirely with the marketing of eggs and the conditions that will bring about better condition of the eggs for the consumer. "Don't wait until the day you intend to market your eggs to gather them, but bring them in every day," advised the poultry expert. "And then don't put the eggs up behind the stove or in some equally warm place where they will germinate, but take the proper care of them until time for marketing."

Mr. Kempster says the farmers of Missouri do not have a high enough standard for their eggs, and consequently their product will not bring as good a price on the eastern market. He advocates the establishing of the quality basis; that is, that every merchant and commission man who purchases the hen fruit from the farmer test the eggs, thereby raising the quality of the product, which eventually means a boost in the price.

At 10 o'clock Dr. J. C. Whitten, whose talk proved so popular last night, lectured on fruit growing.

"Although there are quite a number of orchards in Missouri which are paying their owners from \$500 to \$800 yearly," said Dr. Whitten, "yet the orchards of Missouri as a whole are not a paying proposition. For instance, one man near the state agricultural experiment station has an orchard of only eight acres, but which pays him from fifteen hundred to five thousand dollars yearly. And this orchard has borne fruit seven seasons out of eight. The only reason for this was scientific care. This fact explains why we may see a thriving orchard right next to one which produces practically nothing. As to the varieties, almost any apple grows well in Missouri soil. The care which one must use, however, in selecting the varieties is to adapt the apple to the soil of the particular orchard. The crying need of our orchards though is that nineteen-twentieths of them do not have the proper spraying and pruning.

"Now in the forest trees nature does this work by the thick growth of the branches above crowding out the lower limbs, which finally die and fall off. The apple trees, on the contrary, are placed at regular intervals and are not close enough together to do this.

"It would be just as reasonable," said the speaker, "to sow corn broadcast as to let these trees grow according to their own inclination. Another feature fully as important is that of destroying the fungi growths and insect pests. This is accomplished by spraying, and the Bordeaux mixture is as good possibly as any that can be used. The importance of thorough spraying was also emphasized. As illustrative of the value of spraying, Dr. Whitten cited an instance which had come beneath the notice of the university. A man owning an orchard of one hundred and forty acres said that if they could demonstrate the value of spraying to him that he would buy a machine and spray his whole orchard. A representative acre was selected and sprayed according to the best ideas of the experts. The next year the one acre produced more marketable apples

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Jeweler and Optician,
Maryville, Mo.

for a greater amount than from the whole 139 acres.

"The orchards should be sprayed at least three times during the spring and summer, and four times if possible."

Prof. E. A. Trowbridge, the university expert of horses, talked to the class on his pet "hobby" at the 11 o'clock hour. Mr. Trowbridge was here last year in connection with the short course, and he had a good audience. He dealt in a general way with the feeding of horses, emphasizing especially the proper rations for young colts and yearlings.

Mr. Kempster again spoke this afternoon and his subject was "Raising Poultry on the Farm."

SPOKE ON AGRICULTURE.

Dr. J. C. Whitten of the State University Talked on That Subject Last Night.

Those fortunate enough to have heard the lecture last night on agriculture by Dr. Whitten of the university had the privilege of hearing one of the most masterly discussions of the subject that has fallen to the lot of Maryville people for some time.

"In the first place," said Dr. Whitten, "the people of this region have a rich heritage given them by nature in the fertility of the soil. One of the most prominent agricultural experts of the world said in one of his lectures that he was to choose the most fertile spot on the globe of one hundred miles diameter that it would lie right here in the Missouri valley, and Maryville lies in the circle. Then, too, we live in the greatest country in the world—that is, to say that every other nation of the world looks to us for many of the necessities of life.

"Did you know," asked the speaker, "that the United States is the only place in the world where practically all of the people have enough to eat? England produces only enough foodstuffs in one year to feed her people for three weeks. If we should put all the people of our land in Missouri we would have approximately the condition that exists in China. Practically all the continental countries have had all the virgin fertility of their lands exhausted hundreds of years ago, and their system of farming would be a revelation to us. Our agricultural proposition, too, is going to assume a different aspect from that of the last century, in that we have no large additional areas to go to. And the time is coming when we shall reach Europe's position in this matter. If we only might see the women working fourteen hours a day in the fields, picking up in their apron the scattered heads of the wheat that have fallen from the bundles, giving a portion of this to the landlord for the privilege of gathering it up, and at last having only enough to make bread for a day, it would be a lesson to us. Also we do not realize what the possession of land means. In Europe nothing short of a calamity will make a man sell his land.

"And there is not a land agent in the whole domain, a condition which we can hardly realize. The men in those countries who study agriculture most extensively are the possessors of land.

"The growth in agricultural work has been enormous during the last twenty years. The profession of agriculture, until within the last few years, has been rather looked down upon as menial, but that time is now past and the study is considered just as honorable as that of law, medicine or any of the other professions.

"Almost any one," said Dr. Whitten, "can grow a good crop on this rich virgin soil of Missouri, but how many could make one of those German farms a success? This task calls for just as much learning and skill as any other of the professions that we know. Even the railroads are hiring agricultural experts to advise the farmers along their lines for the rich farming districts mean business for them. And it will pay them in the long run by the increase in business which they will handle."

At the close of Dr. Whitten's talk Mr. Cameron of the Normal called on Prof. T. R. Douglass, who was to leave for Columbia at 9:47, who hurriedly talked on a few subjects which he had not time to cover in his talks at the Normal.

With the Short Courses.

Prof. Kempster, who is the wit of the short course, seems to be in league with the local jewelers. In Friday's lecture, on the marketing of eggs, he said that since unfertile eggs will keep much better, it would be advisable to get rid of the roosters after breeding season. "But if you get rid of the rooster, what are you going to have to wake you up in the morning?" questioned one of his listeners. "Sell him and purchase a Big Ben alarm clock," answered Mr. Kempster quickly.

In the demonstration judging horses, at Gray's pavilion, Friday afternoon, J. F. Roelofson's draft horses were used for the judging of that breed, while several saddle horses owned by Ross Miller of Graham were judged in.

RED BOOK GIVES NODAWAY CORN YIELD AT THAT.

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Nodaway county had 22,347 acres of wheat for the year 1912. The average yield per acre in bushels was 22, and the total yield in bushels was 491,634.

In oats, Nodaway county had 21,758 acres, the average yield per acre in bushels was 32, and the total yield in bushels was 696,256.

The county had 165,924 acres planted in corn, the average yield per acre in bushels being 33 and the total yield of the county in bushels was 5,445,792.

In hay and forage there was 50,985 acres in the county, and the total yield in tons was 86,674.

ELMO TO HAVE ELECTION.

To Vote on Bond Issue of \$3,000 For the Purpose of Having an Electric Light Plant.

Elmo is to hold an election on Monday, March 3, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing bonds of \$3,000 for an electric light plant at that town. When the petition was presented to the town board it contained seventy-four names, being more than two-thirds of the resident tax payers. Grant Elrod, S. A. Dales and V. A. Gates were selected as judges of the election.

WITH SEWELL & CARTER.

W. E. Jones, Former Bell Manager, to be Sales Manager for Auto Firm Here.

W. E. Jones has accepted a position as sales manager for the Sewell & Carter Auto company of Maryville and Burlington Junction, distributors of the Overland, Velle and Winton six cars. He is to commence work Monday.

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CRAIG'S BILL ENGROSSED.

Empowers Governor to Appoint Two Commissioners to Investigate Co-Operative Agricultural Societies.

Jefferson City, Feb. 14.—The senate engrossed a bill introduced by Senator Anderson Craig of Nodaway which empowers the governor to appoint two commissioners to act under the auspices of the Southern Commercial congress and visit European countries to investigate co-operative agricultural societies and rural credits. The bill carries an appropriation of \$2,400.

Francis M. Wilson, president pro tem of the senate, was named yesterday morning to head the committee to examine into the home rule bills and report facts to the Democratic caucus next Monday afternoon. Upon the action of this caucus will depend largely the future of the home rule and county unit bills now pending before the legislature. Other members of the committee are Senators Craig of Nodaway and White, and Representatives Phelps, Barbee and Hay. The "dry" have only two of the six members, Craig and Hay.

To Teach in Hammond.

Miss Lulu Todd left Friday noon for Hammond, Ind., where she has accepted a position as primary teacher in the public schools.

FIRE AT SKIDMORE.

Residence of Dr. J. E. Pierpoint Almost Dismantled by Fire That Started in a Clothes Closet.

Fire was discovered in a clothes closet in the residence of Dr. J. E. Pierpoint of Skidmore about 5 o'clock Thursday evening. How the fire started is not known. Mrs. Pierpoint and her father, William Albright, were the only persons in the house at the time. Hearing a sound like the crackling of flames, Mrs. Pierpoint started to investigate, and as she reached the parlor bedroom flames leaped through the door of the clothes closet into that room. The closet was so situated that it burned through to four other rooms, the intense heat from the fire and the water used in extinguishing the flames damaging the interior of the house so badly that the walls will have to be replastered throughout. Nearly all the clothing belonging to the family, bed comforts and quilts were destroyed.

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Elmo has been considering the proposition of owning its own light plant for some months. The light plant there was put in by Joe Younger, who is well known to the people over the county. It has been shut down several times recently, and since Elmo can't go back to the old lights, they are going to vote for a light plant.

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Miss Laura Gittings of St. Joseph is spending a few days in Maryville the guest of Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher.

HE IS NEARLY 100

ISAAC PRICE WILL ROUND OUT CENTURY MARK IN 1914.

RETIRED 25 YEARS AGO

Has Been a Resident of This County Forty-two Years—Life Story of Old Blacksmith is Interesting.

Mr. Isaac Price, living three miles southwest of Barnard, will be 99 years of age if he lives until the 22nd day of next May. He is still in fair health for a man of his age, and has retained his intellectual powers to an amazing degree.

He was born in Beaver county, Pennsylvania, May 22, 1814. He was reared on the farm until he was 17 years of age. At this age he begged his father to let him learn the blacksmith trade, and then he went to Falmouth, Pa., where he shod his first horses and pounded his first anvil. He worked away there for a year and then was compelled to leave for Fairview, Pa., on account of the dreadful disease of cholera that was infesting that community. Having arrived in Fairview he resumed his trade, and at the age of 22 he married his first wife. His wife died after several years and left him four children to care for.

Not having a companion to help advise, he was induced to go here and there for work until the little he had laid up while his wife was living was practically all gone. Finally he located at Little Beaver, in Columbia county, Ohio, where he became intimately acquainted with the man who became his financial savior. His name was Matthew Laughlin, a merchant. He told Mr. Price that if he would succeed in life he must keep an account of his earnings, and at the end of every year strike a balance, and if he found that his expenditures were more than his earnings he must curtail his expenses, as a man must produce more than he earns if he ever accumulated anything of value. This instruction immediately became his motto, and he gave his wife, whom he had married in the meantime, his first 50 cents earned. From this small beginning he gradually accumulated until he became one of the well to do farmers of Nodaway county years later.

Mr. Price moved to Indiana in 1856 and hammered away at the blacksmith trade until March 8, 1871. He then sold his interests there and came to Nodaway county with \$12,000. He soon bought 300 acres of land for \$9,000, which has since been his home. This place is now worth near \$50,000, and

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ranked as one of the best farms in Nodaway county. His son, Mr. John Price, now owns all but twenty-five acres of this place. The venerable old man is now living on the interest of his money.

Mr. Price has been a member of the M. E. church for sixty-two years, the father of twelve children, and followed the blacksmith trade for fifty years. He has been on the retired list for twenty-five years, and now at the age of 99 years he is kind and cheerful as many men of 40. May grandpa round out his one hundredth birthday, and may comfort and peace be his.

ORDERS TO RECRUIT.

Company F Wants 100 Men Immediately, as They May Have to Go to Mexico.

Capt. Ezra Phipps, commanding officer of Company F, Fourth Regiment, N. G. M., received the following telegram late Thursday afternoon:

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 13.—Commanding Officer Company F, Maryville, Mo. Recruit company to 100 immediately.

C. C. McDONALD, Colonel.

Companies of 100 are only allowed in times of war. In times of peace 50 is the limit.

From the above it will be seen that the home boys may be permitted to smell smoke down in the land of the "greaser" in the very near future. It also seems to indicate the seriousness of the situation down in Mexico.

As the local company is only now composed of 46, 54 new men are wanted at once. Here's a chance for some of the town boys to take a little outing on government pay and at Uncle Sam's expense—and perhaps at the same time get shot full of holes by guerilla bands of Mexican cutthroats. The men must be between the ages of 18 and 35.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT.

Insurance Carried by Late C. M. Grems Received in Less Than a Month.

The insurance carried by the late Charles Curtis Grems in the W. O. W. lodge was received Friday in Maryville by N. S. DeMotte, clerk of that lodge, being a prompt settlement. Mr. Grems' death occurred January 19 and it took less than a month for the beneficiary settlement. The insurance amounted to \$2,000, being in three checks for \$1,000 each, and to John G. Grems, father of the deceased, and his two sisters, Miss Adella Grems and Miss Louella Grems.

The following is the acknowledgment made by the beneficiaries to the lodge:

To the officers and members of Magnolia Camp No. 8, Woodmen of the World, in acknowledging the receipt of the prompt payment of the insurance carried by our son and brother, Charles, who was a member of your great order, we wish to express to you our appreciation of the sympathy and fraternal feeling extended to us in our very sad bereavement, and through you we wish to extend our thanks to the grand camp officers for so prompt adjustment of the claim.

Very respectfully and fraternally yours,

J. G. GREMS,
ADELLA GREMS,
LOUELLA GREMS,
L. M. GREMS.

HERE FOR THE FUNERAL.

Body of Mrs. W. W. Jackson Accompanied to Maryville by Relatives.

Mrs. Anna Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Andrews of Trenton, Mo., arrived in Maryville Thursday evening with the body of Mrs. W. W. Jackson, whose death occurred at Mrs. Andrews' home Thursday morning. The body was taken to the undertaking parlors of Price & McNeal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Andrews, who were married recently in our city, and Mrs. Andrews are at the home of Mrs. Clair Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews of South Buchanan street.

Other relatives of the deceased woman, Charles Avery and A. C. Andrews of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville Thursday night for the funeral, at the First Presbyterian church Friday afternoon.

Attended Roelofson Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Roelofson and son Ira of Barnard, Mrs. E. E. May of Savannah, Allan May of St. Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ellis of Guilford returned home Thursday evening. They came to Maryville Wednesday night to be present at the funeral of the mother of Mr. Roelofson and Mrs. May, Mrs. R. S. Roelofson, who died Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. May.

Miss Jennie Boyd of Clyde was in Maryville Friday.

LOST—Brass cap off of wheel of fire wagon. Finder will please return to city hall or Real Estate bank. 13-11

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at Crane's

TAXED THE MONEY

ABSTRACT OF BANK ASSESSMENTS COMPLETED.

TOTAL VALUE \$845,750

Four Maryville Banks Will Pay Taxes on Nearly \$200,000—What the Assessments Are.

The abstract assessment as compiled by the county clerk's office of the twenty-three banks in Nodaway county for the purpose of taxation for the year 1913 shows that the total value of the capital stock, including reserve fund, undivided profits and other values of these banks to be \$845,750.44. The capital stock of these banks amounts to \$635,000, and the total reserve funds, undivided profits, premiums or earnings and all other values is \$210,750.44.

The total assessed value of the stock and reserve funds, undivided profits and other values, after deducting real estate, amounts to \$373,225.

The total value of the real estate, represented by stock, which was deducted, amounts to \$39,299.

The total assessed value of real estate represented by stock, as shown by the real estate books, which was deducted, amounts to \$27,290.

The following are what the banks of the county are assessed, according to the abstract assessment statement:

Nodaway Valley bank.....\$61,509
Maryville National.....58,550
First National.....56,750
Real Estate bank.....19,000
Barnard State bank.....20,200
Bank of Hopkins.....13,405
First National of Burlington Junction.....16,300
Northwestern of Burlington Junction.....15,365
Farmers of Parnell.....14,325
Citizens of Graham.....13,900
Bank of Guilford.....13,245
Farmers and Merchants, Elmo.....10,910
Jackson bank, Clearmont.....9,848
Platte Valley, Ravenwood.....10,900
Farmers and Merchants, Hopkins.....8,004
Citizens of Guilford.....7,193
Bank of Skidmore.....7,237
Farmers bank of Skidmore.....6,937
Bank of Pickering.....5,600
Bank of Conception, Clyde.....8,450
Arkoe State bank.....5,040
Farmers of Quitman.....6,900
Farmers of Conception Junction.....4,650

The banks of the county are capitalized as follows:

Nodaway Valley, \$100,000; Maryville National, \$100,000; First National, \$100,000; Real Estate bank, \$30,000; Barnard, State bank, \$30,000; Bank of Hopkins, \$25,000; First National of Burlington Junction, \$25,000; Northwestern bank of Burlington Junction, \$25,000; Farmers of Parnell, \$20,000; Citizens of Graham, \$20,000; Bank of Guilford, \$20,000; Farmers and Merchants, Elmo, \$20,000; Jackson bank of Clearmont, \$10,000; Platte Valley bank of Ravenwood, \$10,000; Farmers and Merchants, Hopkins, \$10,000; Citizens bank of Guilford, \$15,000; Bank of Skidmore, \$10,000; Farmers bank of Skidmore, \$10,000; Bank of Pickering, \$10,000; Bank of Conception, Clyde, \$15,000; Arkoe State bank, \$10,000; Farmers bank of Quitman, \$10,000; Farmers State bank of Conception Junction, \$10,000.

COUSIN TO MEET TONIGHT.

To Consider Question of Hiring a Building For City Office Rooms and Also Council Room.

The city council will meet in adjourned session this Friday evening to consider the question of leasing a building for the city offices and council meetings. A committee appointed by the council will be ready to report tonight on what buildings can be secured for this purpose, and no doubt the council will select one. All of the city officers, such as mayor, collector, city marshal, city attorney, superintendent of the water plant, engineer of the water plant, and a council room will be together in the one building.

Miss Mary Taylor went to Des Moines Friday to visit the family of T. F. Ball.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday, moderate temperature.

On and after Feb. the 15th

We Will Sell for

CASH ON

Those owing us and settle.



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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic
township nominating convention.

MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce

F. S. GRUNDY

as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic township nomi-
nating convention.

We are authorized to announce

FRANK BOLIN

as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic nominating con-
vention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for tax collector of White Cloud
township, subject to the decision of the
Democratic township nominating con-
vention.

S. B. WILLIAMS.

Is 85 Years Old Today.

John Ham is 85 years old today. He
has now confined to his home with ill-
ness. Mr. Ham came to Nodaway
county fifty-six years ago and has
held many offices of honor and trust.

Ernest Waugh and Lorene Waugh of
Hotchkiss, who have been visiting Clar-
ence Cole and family, four miles south
of Maryville, returned home Wednes-
day evening.

Free Today

Stop at
Schumacher's
Grocery Store

when you're down town and
"warm up" on a bowl of the

Hot Porridge
Post
Tavern
Special

—and a steaming cup of the

New Food-Drink
Instant
Postum

Two newest products of
the Postum Co., offered free
today for your approval.

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Wilson Bros. Shirts

We anticipated an early spring demand of the latest
designs and styles in Wilson Bros.' Shirts. They have
arrived and you can select from this fine assortment any one
you wish for..... **\$1.00**
This is an exceptional value.

The "SILVER" BRAND OF SHIRTS are selling at
a bargain. Your choice..... **75c**

For a good substantial make of Shirt you cannot beat
the "E" Brand, which we are selling for a few days at,
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H & I. and Silver Brand of Linen Collars, which sell
at over 2 for 25c, we will sell to fit any shirt at 10c
during the Special Sale only.

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for Men and Young Men.

FOR A BAD STOMACH PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN.

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sour-
ness and Indigestion is Gone.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indiges-
tion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the
food you eat ferments into gases and
stubborn lumps; your head aches and
you feel sick and miserable, that's
when you realize the magic in Pape's
Diapepsin. It makes such misery van-
ish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous
revolt—if you can't get it regulated,
please, for your sake, try Diapepsin.
It's so needless to have a bad stom-
ach—make your next meal a favorite
food meal, then take a little Diapep-
sin. There will not be any distress—
eat without fear. It's because Pape's
Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak,
out-of-order stomachs that gives it
its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's
Diapepsin from any drug store. It is
the quickest, surest stomach relief and
cure known. It acts almost like
magic—it is a scientific, harmless and
pleasant preparation which truly be-
lieves in every home.—Advertisement.

GUILFORD NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Carl Wray and children and
Mrs. Eunice Parr went to Hamilton,
Mo., Wednesday to visit their sister,
Mrs. T. D. Parr.

Joseph Skidmore, Mary C. Hilde-
brand and G. B. Rimel were in Mary-
ville Thursday on business, making the
trip in the Rimel car.

Will Wray had a car of stock on the
St. Joseph market Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Miller is improving from
a very serious illness caused by eat-
ing a frozen apple.

J. M. Broadbent's sale Wednesday
was very successful. Mr. Broadbent
will give possession of his farm to S.
P. Curmuth the first of March. Mr. Cur-
muth having bought it some time ago.

Lazarus, the handsome 120-pound
pig that belonged to W. H. Miller, our
restaurantier, is no more. He feasted
long and often from the crumbs that
fell from his master's table and thrive
and thrive upon them. But he got too
greedy and began to poke his snout
into the tin cans that were thrown
out with the crumbs, and as he had
not been provided with the stomach of
a goat, he contracted ptomaine poison-
ing and died a horrible death there-
from on Thursday morning. His quar-
ters are now empty, waiting for a suc-
cessor, but a wiser one, while his hind
quarters and fore quarters are re-
posing in a hole dug for him out at
the edge of town.

A local or county representative is
wanted by the Fruit Grower and
Farmer, St. Joseph, Mo. Anyone in-
terested should apply for the position.
Experience is unnecessary. Good
money can be earned. Liberal com-
missions with over \$2,000 in extra
prizes. Write them for information
and outfit.

A marriage license was issued Fri-
day by Recorder Wray to Roy I. Baker
of Clarinda, Ia., and Miss Libbie E.
Baker of Shambaugh, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolin went to
Clyde, Kan., Wednesday evening on a
short business trip.

Dr. Fay Allen left for his home in
Foswell, N. M., Thursday morning.

MAN GETS A NEW STOMACH.

After Trying to Enjoy Life for Years
With No Good Stomach He
Gets Wise.

"I was bothered for years with stom-
ach trouble and gastritis. Food laid
like lead in my stomach and ferment-
ed, forming gas. This caused a pres-
sure on my heart, so that I choked and
gasped for breath. I thought my time
had come. MI-O-NA cured me after I
had doctored without success."—Win.
V. Matthews, Bloomington, Ind.

"Call it Gastric Catarrh of the
Stomach, Indigestion or Dyspepsia; it
matters not. MI-O-NA Stomach Tab-
lets will drive out all the misery and
give you practically a new, clean, will-
ing-to-work stomach or Orca-Henry
Drug Co. will refund the price.

That's honorable, isn't it? So if you
want to get rid of your sour, gassy,
heavy, stupid, irresponsible stomach
get a 50-cent box today.—Advertisement.

THE HEART OF TOMMY.

Th' teacher sez I've got a hart.
But teacher's off her trol-
ley.



Once on a time I had a hart,
But now it's owned by Mol-
ly!

A Valentine Kiss.

"A kiss upon this valentine
I press," he wrote to her.
"I've placed it underneath this line.
I hope you won't deem it."

"I do not want the kiss you sent,"
She answered, "not at all!"
But just because it was well meant
I'll keep it till you call."

IT CLOSES TODAY

(Continued from Page 1)
the light horse division. The demon-
stration work was in charge of Mr.
Trowbridge.

Judging from the large number of
women present at the lectures Friday
the ladies are very eager to learn how
to increase their poultry revenues.

The second annual short course of
Nodaway county will come to a close
Friday night with a monster banquet
at the First Methodist church. The ad-
vance sale of tickets to the feast shows
that a large crowd will be there.

Baby Operated On.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Trumbo and
their 6-month-old child of Hopkins,
accompanied by Dr. Charles Kirk of
that place, came to Maryville Thurs-
day evening to consult Dr. E. R. An-
thony in regard to an abscess of the
ear from which the baby had been suf-
fering for some time. The baby was
operated on successfully at St. Francis
hospital Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs.
E. T. Trumbo and Mr. and Mrs. N. A.
Henderson of Bedford the parents of
Mr. and Mrs. Trumbo, came to Mary-
ville Friday morning and were pres-
ent at the hospital for the operation.

"Defending the Flag."

This patriotic play presented by the
high school of Barnard at the M. E.
church of that place Wednesday night
was largely attended and the house
receipts netted \$56, which will be used
in some way for the benefit of the
school. Those taking part in the play
were Leonard Mendenhall, Homer
Stalling, Walton Lewis, Dean and
Ross Humbert, Paul Geisinger, Meri
Hammond, Russell Akey, Elmer Sells,
Oran Griffin, Hugh Keenan, Orley Stra-
der, Walter Hagar, Miss Hazel Cur-
nutt, Miss Dorothy Strader, Miss Mabel
Cook.

Will Move to Columbia.

Mrs. W. H. Brown and son will leave
the first of March for Columbia, Mo.,
to make their home with Robert and
his sister, Miss Bessie Brown, are at-
tending the state university. Dr.
Brown will remain in Maryville and
continue his osteopathic practice and
also engage in the real estate business
with his brother, Joseph Brown.

Visitors From Elmo.

Miss Delila Colvin, Mrs. John Lamar
and Miss Donna Lamar of Elmo were
among the Maryville visitors Thurs-
day. Miss Lamar was here for her
usual weekly lessons in elocution and
music. Mrs. T. L. Wadley is her in-
structor in elocution.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of letters remain-
ing unclaimed in the Maryville post-
office for the week ending Wednesday,
February 12, 1913:

Gentlemen.

Burdick, Charles.
Cowan, P. D.
Denny or Dewey, Joe.
Faubion, S. A.
Jones, C. J.
Ken, Rev. Howard L.
Michlavy, Anton.
Roberts, George.
Royer, S. E.
Scheppers, Albert.
Sprague, J. W.
Thompson, Howard.

Ladies.

Adleburg, Miss Lillian.
Cornelius, Mrs. Ed F.
Green, Mrs. Hester A.
Johnston, Mrs. William T.
Lorke, Mrs. M.
Savitt, Mrs. Jessie.
Thomas, Mrs. L. K.
Tomson, Mrs. Wm. E.
Utzes, Mrs. Jim.
Vance, Mrs. M. E.
Wilkinson, Miss Jayne.

Miscellaneous.

Lawrence Hotel.
Persons calling for the above let-
ters will please say "delivered."
S. R. BEECH, Postmaster.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

At Home in Methodist Flats.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brewer have
leased the apartments in the Buchan-
an Street Methodist church flats vac-
ated by Mrs. J. S. Ford and family,
and are now at home to their friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Brewer have been mak-
ing their home with Mr. and Mrs. W. A.
Miller, on South Main street, for a
year past.

Entertained a Few Friends.

Miss Ethel Winter entertained a few
of her friends at her home Tuesday
evening with a two-course luncheon.
The evening was spent in music and a
good time. Those present were Miss
Clara Taylor, Mr. Tom Manning, Miss
Nettie Miller, Mr. Dan O'Connell, Miss
Bertha Fanning, Mr. Ray Taylor, Miss
Ethel Winter, Mr. Milton Johnson,
Miss Elsie Winter, Mr. Robert Bradley,
Miss Tula Johnson, Mrs. Flossie Mil-
ler, Mr. Howard Miller, Mr. Gail John-
son and Mr. Glenn Johnson.

Brenneman-Yowell Wedding.

Maryville friends received announce-
ments Friday morning of the marriage
of Mr. Lester L. Yowell of Maryville
and Miss Kathryn A. Brenneman of
Wheeling, Mo., on Wednesday, Febru-
ary 12. The wedding took place at the
home of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. G. W. Brenneman. Mr. and Mrs.
Yowell will be at home after March 1
in Mrs. Mary Hansen's residence, on
East Seventh street. Mr. Yowell is a
member of the firm of Yowell & Sons,
feed store.

Pettigrew-Horton Wedding.

A quiet wedding occurred Wednes-
day evening at 6 o'clock at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Pettigrew, two miles
north of Clyde, when their daughter,
Nellie, was united in marriage to
Henry Horton, a young farmer of that
vicinity. The only guests were the
immediate family. The ceremony was
performed by Rev. S. E. Hoover, pas-
tor of the Southern Methodist church
of Ravenwood. Mr. and Mrs. Horton
will make their home on the farm of
Robert Larmer, southeast of Raven-
wood.

Valentine Birthday Party.

Miss Hazel Ritchie was given a de-
lightful surprise party Thursday even-
ing at the home of her mother, Mrs. S.
S. Casteel, in observance of her birth-
day anniversary. Eighteen guests
were bidden by Mrs. Casteel, and all
responded, the honor guest being sur-
prised to the complete satisfaction of
everyone. When the parlors were
opened by the hostess for her guests,
Miss Ritchie was again surprised to
see them beautifully decorated in
hearts and valentines. The prizes at
the games went to Miss Kittie Grems
and Mr. Edgar Rhoades. A delicious
three-course luncheon was served.
The favors were cupid. Mrs. Casteel
was assisted in entertaining by Mrs.
Frank Green and Miss Adella Grems.

Entertained Thursday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunt entertained
Thursday evening in honor of their
daughter, Mrs. C. S. Hudson of Poplar
Bluff, Mo., who is visiting them. The
evening was spent in playing games
and a number of musical selections
were given. Refreshments were served.
The following were the guests: Mrs.
C. H. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Rot
Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Ethel
Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harris,
Ersel Harris, Mrs. John Stundon, Mary
Stundon, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen,
Mr. Polk Looker, Mr. and Mrs. A. G.
Gann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley, Mr.
and Mrs. John W. Coleman, Mr. and
Mrs. James Craig, Mr. Wesley Smith
of Pickering, Judge W. H. Conn, Mr.
and Mrs. J. L. Hunt and Mabel Hunt.

Married in Shawnee, Okla.

A marriage notice in the Oklahoma
City Times of a recent date will be of
interest to Nodaway county people, but
especially to the people of Barnard,
where the bridegroom, Mr. J. A. Dear-
ing, was for a number of years en-
gaged in business. Mr. Dearing, who
is now a resident of Lawton, Okla.,
was married Saturday evening, Feb-
ruary 1, at Shawnee, Okla. The fol-
lowing is the notice from the Times:

A quiet but beautiful wedding was
that of Saturday evening at the home
of Judge and Mrs. Malcolm E. Rosser
when Judge Rosser's sister, Mrs.
Ophelia Pearson of Shawnee, Okla., was
united in marriage to Mr. J. A. Dear-
ing of Lawton, Dr. J. H. O. Smith of
the First Christian church performing
the ceremony. The house was pleas-
ingly decorated with palms and ferns
and the guests included only the in-
imate friends and members of the
family. The bride wore an imported
gown of chaire charmeuse with dra-
peries of lace of the same shade, com-
bined with jeweled net and bands of
coney. She carried a shower bouquet
of Killarney roses. Mrs. Dearing, who
is a most beautiful and talented wom-
an, has resided for a number of years
in Shawnee, where she has been one
of the social leaders, and her depart-
ure from that city is deeply deplored
by a large circle of friends. Mr. and
Mrs. Dearing left on the evening train
for Lawton, where they will make
their home. The guests at the wed-
ding were Mrs. W. P. Pigg of McAles-
ter, a sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs.
J. C. Pelphrey of Shawnee, Mrs.
Sachse and Miss Sachse of Shawnee.

DR. A. T. FISHER

Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

Closing Out Sale

Having rented my farm I will offer for sale on

Wednesday, February 26th, 1913

Owing to the size of this sale it will begin promptly at 10 o'clock

At my farm 7½ miles west of Burlington Junction, and 9 miles east of Tarkio on the
Glidden O. K. Short Line auto road, the following described personal property:

6 Head of Mules

1 span of mare mules, 8 years old,
weight 2700; 1 span of horse mules, com-
ing 6 and 7 years old, weight 2800; 1 span
of brown mare mules, 8 years old, weight
2650.

5 Head of Horses

1 draft mare, 8 years old, weight 1800;
1 sorrel horse, 8 years old, weight 1440;
1 brown 3 year old horse; 1 brown 4 year
old horse; 1 bay 4 year old horse.

100 Head of Hogs

50 bred sows; 50 stock hogs, all healthy
and in good condition.

106 Head of Cattle

20 head of cows and heifers, 50 head
of good calves, 36 head of coming 2 year
old steers. This is all native stuff.

Hay and Grain

About 5000 bushels of corn, 300 bushels of oats, hay in
stack, also some baled hay and baled oat straw, also 70
acres of wheat straw in stack.

Farm Implements, Etc.

5 sets of team harness, 2 McCormick mowers, 1 2-row John Deere lister, 2 2-row Dempster cultivators,
2 1-row corn plows, 1 sulky hay rake, 1 John Deere gang plow, 1 corn planter, 1 16-foot harrow, 2 2-row snake
killers, 1 bull rake, 2 16-blade discs, 1 16-inch stubble plow, 2 endgate grain seeders, 1 hay rack, 3 wag-
ons, 2 buggies, 1 grind stone, 1 14-hole Van Brunt wheat and grass drill combined, new; 8 feed bunks, 50
bushels of timothy seed. Some household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE: Sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount cash or 12 months time,
purchaser to give note with approved security bearing 8 per cent interest
from date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

R. R. STAPLES, Sr.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer; C. I. Hann, Clerk; W. W. Jones, lunch

Mrs. T. L. Ellis of Lawton, Mr. and
Mrs. Clarence Cranston and Mrs. J. H.
Grant of this city.

MADERO, WIFE, DIAZ.

President of Mexico,
His Wife and Leader
Of Latest Uprising.



Sues for a Divorce.

A suit for divorce was filed Friday
morning by Shinabargar, Blagg & Elli-
son for Emma F. DeMoss from Fred
T. DeMoss. The plaintiff prays for a
divorce and also the custody of an in-
fant child, and for support and perma-
nent alimony. The petition states that
the defendant is worth at least \$40,000.
The case will come up at the June term
of court.

Big Cattle Man Here.

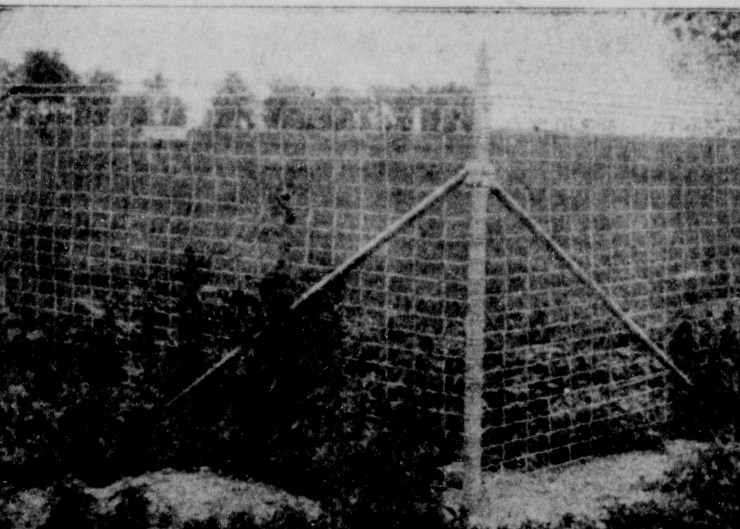
B. C. Settles of Palmyra, Mo., a Jer-
sey cattle breeder and judge of na-
tional reputation, spent Wednesday in
Maryville, the guest of T. A. Wiles, at
his farm, north of Maryville. Mr. Set-
tles came to inspect Mr. Wiles' herd of
100 head of Jersey cattle, and said he
had not seen so good a herd in a long
time.

Up to Parents, Not Children.

If parents' ambition is to wrest
enough money from the farm to en-
able them to "move to town and live
in comfort," how can they expect the
boy or girl to like farming? Make
farm living conditions, social life and
educational advantages better than in
towns—this can be done—then the
tide of population will flow back to
the land and stay there—Farm and
Home.

The American Steel Fence Post

—18—



Cheaper than wood.
Amplly strong to serve the purpose.
Very durable (oldest posts 15 years and good as new).
Sufficiently flexible to stand shock without breaking.
Not damaged by fire, lightning, heat, cold or moisture.
Protect stock from lightning.
Not lifted by frost.
Equal resistance in all directions.
Can be driven in ordinary soil.
Line posts set in any soil by boring two-inch hole.
No staples required.
Takes on any style of woven fence, barbed or smooth wire.
Simple—nothing to get out of order.
Easily moved.
No special tool required.
Uniform in size, length and appearance.
Every post is a good one—NO CULLS.
Tested fifteen years and found absolutely satisfactory.

SOLD BY

C. A. BARBOUR
South Side Hardware

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong. Esti-
mate tomorrow, 400.

Hogs—26,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow,
17,000.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market strong.

Hogs—4,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—3,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—500. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

George Pat Wright went to Hopkins
Friday on business.

Mrs. O. D. Fowler of Wichita, Kan.,
is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. F. L. Sanders, living five miles
south of Maryville.

When You Think of FLOWERS

Think of

THE ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES

1001 South Main St.
Phones, Hanam 17-1-3; Bell 125

"SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS AND CONSTIPATION

BETTER THAN CASTOR OIL, CALOMEL OR CATHARTICS TO CLEANSSE YOUR STOMACH, LIVER AND 30 FEET OF BOWELS—HARMLESS LAXATIVE FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Primitive folks did not need laxatives. They lived outdoors, ate plenty of fruit, and all of their food was coarse. We modern people are different. We exercise too little, eat little fruit, and our food is too fine—too rich.

We simply can't have our ten yards of bowels clogged up, liver choked with sour bile and stomach full of foul effete matter and feel well. It means that the food and waste retained in the stomach and thirty feet of bowels ferments—decays. The decay creates poisons, gases and acids, and those poisons are sucked into the blood through the very ducts intended to suck in the nutriment. Then we have sick headache, become dull, bilious, tongue coated, nervous, meals don't digest, and we feel miserable all over. So we must make our choice. We must live like primitive folks, else we must take artificial means to move the excess bile and waste matter on and out of the system.

The safest, most harmless and effective stomach, liver and bowel cleanser and regulator for men, women and children—is delicious Syrup of Figs, which doesn't irritate, gripe or weaken. Its effect is the effect of fruits. It is composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics. Don't think you are drugging yourself. Syrup of Figs can be constantly used without harm.

Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," and see on the label that it is prepared by The California Fig Syrup Company. This is the only genuine—the old reliable. Refuse, with contempt, the so-called Fig Syrup imitations sometimes offered to deceive you.—Advertisement.

On Two Weeks' Visit.

Mrs. Will Foster went to Kansas City Thursday for a two days' visit with Dr. Robert Bantz. From there she will go to Hometown, Mo., for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. B. D. Null.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash.

To Washington, D. C., and return, \$38.50; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 10th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.

E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

To Move to Bethany.

Lewis Hill, who has been with the H. C. Bower Hardware company, on the west side of the square, will leave Saturday evening for Bethany, where he has accepted a position with the Bethany Hardware company. His family will leave in the next few weeks for that town.

DANGEROUS DANDRUFF

Will Make America a Baldheaded Nation if Not Checked. M. Pasteur, the great French Physician of Paris, once said, "I believe we shall one day rid the world of all diseases caused by germs."

Dandruff is caused by germs, a fact accepted by all physicians.

Dandruff is the root of all hair evils. If it were not for the little destructive germs working with a persistence worthy of a better cause, there would be no baldness.

Parishian Sage will kill the dandruff germs and remove dandruff in two weeks or money back.

The Koch Pharmacy guarantees it. It will stop itching scalp, falling hair and make the hair grow thick and abundant.

It puts life and lustre into the hair and prevents it from turning gray.

It is the hair dressing par excellence, daintily perfumed and free from grease and stickiness. It is the favorite with women of taste and culture who know the social value of fascinating hair.

A large bottle costs only 50 cents at leading druggist everywhere, and by the Koch Pharmacy. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.—Advertisement.

Fancy Work

We have just opened up a new shipment of

PILLOW TUBING,

CUSHION TOPS,

GUEST TOWELS, ETC.

These are all new, and we would be glad to show you the different patterns.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

ROCK ISLAND GANG PLOWS

with two extra shares, C. T. X. Bottom.....\$55.00

Rock Island Sulky Plows, C. T. X.\$37.50

Rock Island and Deere Disc Harrows

With tongue trucks 16x16.....\$30.00

Rock Island, Black Hawk and J. L. Case

Planters with high wheels.....\$37.50

Goods delivered at your station in Nodaway or counties adjoining.

Farm machinery is cheaper now than it has been for twenty-one years.

Maryville, Mo. U. S. A. "Of Course," HOLT for High Prices.

FOR SALE

Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

City License Tax

Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

J. G. GREMS
City Collector

CANADIAN WOMAN KILLED BY SHELL

Third Feminine Victim of Mexican Fighting.

AMERICAN CLUB IS RIDDLED.

Forty Citizens of United States Have Narrow Escapes From Bursting Shells—Bombardment of National Palace Lasts for Hours.

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Greenfield, mother of Harry Greenfield, an employee of the Mexican Light and Power company, a Canadian corporation, was killed by a shell in Victoria street during the fighting. This makes three women among the foreign victims of the battles.

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Bombardment of the national palace by the rebels wrought havoc among the buildings in that section of the city. The American club was riddled. The interior of the second and third floors was completely wrecked. Of forty Americans within at the time, several had almost miraculous escapes from death.

Seven shells tore out the walls. The first two crashed through the reading room on the front of the second story. The others entered above the second story on the sides.

In addition to the shell fire, the interior, as well as the exterior, of the American club was perforated in scores of places by bullets from rifles and machine guns. The shells which entered the reading room tore their way through the stone window casings, demolished a heavy leather chair and exploded with terrific force. Shrapnel was hurled in all directions, cutting the furniture to ribbons, ripping the floors and walls and puncturing in a score of places the portraits which were about the room. The portrait most seriously damaged was that of President Madero.

Portraits Riddled.

President McKinley's face is now set in a circle of bullet holes, while the portrait of President Taft, hanging next, escaped with a single mark.

President-elect Wilson's features were riddled, while at the other end of the line of portraits hangs found lodgment in plenty in the picture of Jefferson.

To the rear of this room is a large one used for billiards and pool. There many Americans were gathered, as the manager had forbidden the members to assemble in the front room, when a second series of shells crashed through the wall.

Portions of shrapnel shell were hurled through the floor above the billiard rooms among a group of Americans there. Four sleeping rooms on the fourth floor were wrecked.

The wrecking of this building is typical of the damage done many others in all parts of the city.

Just around the corner from the American club, near Porter's hotel, R. M. Meredith of Troy was injured. He was struck by shrapnel, suffering a scalp wound.

Demand Madero's Surrender.

It is reported that General Diaz has demanded the surrender of the national palace. All through the day the rebel batteries of heavy guns were throwing a fierce fire of shrapnel around the palace. Many of these dropped into the zocalo, which fronts the buildings and federal soldiers were compelled to move to cover.

The fire on both sides became intermittent, but apparently less vigorous from the federals. The government troops were receiving ammunition in small consignments, and it was said that they were running short.

The fifth day of the battle began at 8 a. m., a battery of federal artillery opening fire on the arsenal, but although the bombardment was kept up without cessation for an hour or so it had no appreciable effect on the rebel defenses.

That Diaz had prepared for the threatened overwhelming movement by the government which Madero promised was shown by the fact that he had stationed sharpshooters on the roofs of adjoining buildings, had dispatched a force outside his lines to the west of the city and had placed his heaviest guns in positions commanding all the approaches to his stronghold.

Fails to Rush Rebel Position.

General Huerta, commanding the federals, had promised to rush the fortifications of the rebels, but he elected instead to employ his artillery from the various points of vantage. Only once in the early part of the day did the infantry come into action.

During the heavy shelling of the palace Diaz apparently moved some of his forces to the southeast of the city and shortly after 12 o'clock the palace was made the target of both shells and rifle fire from that district. Coincidentally, the rebels succeeded in extending their zone of activity in other directions.

The rebel fire toward the palace was intended not only to bring about its surrender, but had for its purpose also the clearing of the intervening high buildings of machine guns and rifles and of silencing the federal battery operating in San Juan Letran street at a point midway between the arsenal and the palace.

Supper at A. M. E. Church.

There will be a supper at the A. M. E. church on Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

WILLIAMS' INDIAN PILE OINTMENT will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. For sale by all druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00.

WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio. For sale by O'Neal-Heary Drug Co.

HOUSE PASSES COUNTY UNIT BILL

Local Option Measure Adopted by Two to One Vote.

UNION LABOR GETS TWO JOLTS

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—The house passed the county unit local option bill by a vote of 90 to 45.

Union labor got two jolts in the house. A bill making it a misdemeanor for any employer to refuse employment to a man because he belongs to a union or in any attempt to coerce him from joining a union was voted down by a large vote.

Another bill providing that every Sunday worker, policeman, fireman, even farm laborers who toiled on Sunday, should receive double pay was laid on the table.

Women in the rural districts of Missouri will not be able to sit on school boards for at least two years to come. Senator Craig's bill, which conferred this right on women in the rural districts, was defeated on reconsideration in the senate by a vote of 16 to 12.

The senate engrossed a bill, introduced by Senator Casey, which shortens the time policemen may hold persons suspected of crime from twenty hours to two hours. In explaining his measure Senator Casey said the police department in Kansas City had frequently in the past used this pretext for making numerous arrests on election days and holding the persons arrested until after the polls closed for the sole purpose of preventing them from voting.

APPROVE DRAIN ASSESSMENT

Supreme Court Upholds the Legislature's Power in Levee Matters.

Jefferson City, Feb. 14.—The supreme court upheld the power of the legislature to enable drainage and levee districts to assess abutting and benefited property for the cost of drains and levees. The opinion was filed in the suit of Louis Houck against the Little River Drainage company and was appealed from the Cape Girardeau circuit court.

The immediate point at issue was the validity of a special tax of 25 cents on the acre of all the land affected in the district, which is the largest in the state. There are 3,000,000 acres of land involved in the various drainage and levee districts and indirectly every one of them will be affected by this decision, which upholds the validity of such special taxes.

JOPLIN DOCTOR FINED \$500

Physician Admits He Gave Woman Information About Criminal Operation.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 14.—Dr. M. Luther Springs of this city pleaded guilty in the federal court to using the United States mails to give information telling a woman where a criminal operation could be performed, and on each of four counts was fined \$500 by Judge William Pope. Dr. Springs was indicted in the June term of court last year. He was suspended from practice by the Missouri board of health for one year at a meeting held by the board in St. Louis two weeks ago.

SENTENCE FOUR JOPLIN BOYS

Three Others of a "Gang" Are Held or Sought for Alleged Crimes.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 14.—Four of seven youths who confessed to the police to a series of crime that baffled the department for weeks have been given sentences, one to the penitentiary and three to the state industrial school for boys. A fifth awaits investigation as to his exact age, when he is to be sentenced; a sixth is being sought on a charge of first degree murder and the seventh is in jail, also pending trial on the latter charge.

Moberly Democrats Name City Ticket.

Moberly, Mo., Feb. 14.—In the Democratic city primary Rolla Rothwell was nominated for mayor; Charles Kelly, city collector; William Hinton, chief of police; Frank Tedford, police judge; and Harry Solomon, assessor.

A \$50,000 Fire at Mexico, Mo.

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 14.—Mexico had a \$50,000 fire when I. M. Greer's furniture store was completely destroyed. The fire started in the basement and swept up the elevator shaft.

Casket of Pearls Found in Street.

Washington, Feb. 14.—At police headquarters is a small leather casket, containing a fortune in pearl jewelry, and detectives are seeking its owner. It was picked up in the middle of a street in the fashionable section of the capital by W. B. Dixon, driver of a delivery wagon, and turned over to the police. The collection includes two bracelets, several pins and brooches, a number of rings and a pearl chain. More than 100 pearls form the settings.

Commons Fails to Punish Editor Maxse

London, Feb. 14.—The house of commons did not send Maxse, editor of the National Review, to the clock tower for his refusal to reveal the source of information on which he had based allegations of improper conduct against some of the cabinet ministers. The house evaded giving a definite decision on the issues raised by agreeing to "do nothing at present."

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Omar Fisher and Miss Grace Fisher went to St. Joseph to visit Dr. George.

Mrs. J. T. Hay for some time at avenue, is consid

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Visited at the Junction.

Miss Josephine Ault of Arkoe and Mrs. Earl Allen and son of Council Bluffs were in Maryville Wednesday on their way to Miss Ault's home from a visit at Burlington Junction with Mrs. Jonathan Graves.

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Brooklyn, N. Y., Man Tells of Best Remedy.

At this season of year with such sudden changes, it is so easy to take cold, and almost before one is aware there is inflammation in the bronchial tubes—a hard cough and unless checked in time chronic pulmonary troubles may result.

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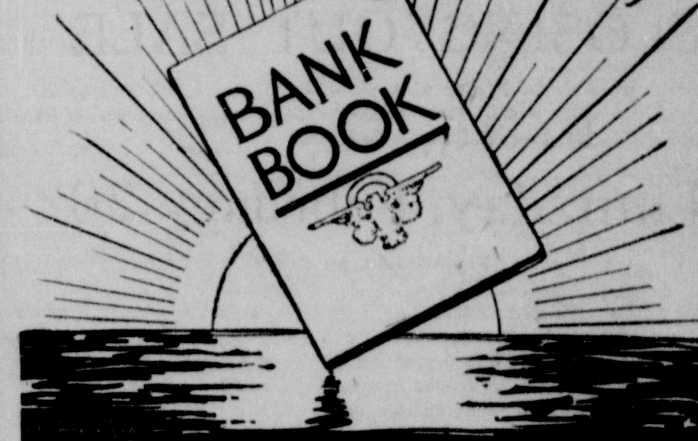
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PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on the farm, 5 1/2 miles southwest of Maryville.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1913

Beginning at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property: 20 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—3 mares, ages 5, 6 and 8 years, well broke and good ones; 1 heavy work horse, smooth mouth, good work animals; 1 span of mules 8 and 9 years, well broke; 3 coming 2-year-old mules, 1 good coming yearling mare mule, 6 coming 2-year-old colts, Phenix bred; 1 coming yearling bull filly, coach bred.

144 HEAD OF CATTLE—60 head of good native steers, feeders, nearly all red, in good flesh; 56 of the same kind only younger and lighter weight. These cattle will be sold in lots of 20 or less. 10 head of coming 2-year-old high grade Shorthorn heifers, 3 coming 2-year-old Shorthorn heifers from the Captain Harmon herd of milk strain Shorthorn, eligible to record; 6 head of good milk cows, all heavy with calf, 2 with young calves. These are a good lot of milkers. 6 coming yearling steers and heifer calves; 1 coming 2-year-old registered Shorthorn bull, Hampton's Goods, sold by Bellows Bros.; 2 long yearling Shorthorn bulls, eligible to record; 1 coming 2-year-old grade bull, Red Poll.

HOGS—140 head, consisting of brood sows and stock hogs, a few fat hogs and about 25 late fall pigs, 1 registered Chester White boar, 1 registered Poland-China boar. Most all of these hogs have been through the cholera and are perfectly healthy.

FARM IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY—15-horse power gasoline engine, practically as good as new; Ohio ensilage cutter, with all pipes, etc. for filling, it is not worn to speak of never having done any work but mine; Bowser No. 8 feed mill; manure spreader, nearly new; 1-horse wheat and corn drill, nearly new; 4 good farm wagons, 2-seated high grade surrey, nearly new, top buggy, nearly new Case corn planter, a full line of cultivators, hatters, stirring plows, disc harrows and disc cultivators, 4 sets double wheel harness, set double luggy harness, rubber mounted, set single harness, a lot of native lumber, a lot of extra large burr oak fence posts, corner and gate posts, galvanized water tank, some baled hay and corn, also 108 bushels of choice timothy seed, some household and kitchen furniture, malleable steel range, heating stoves, a dozen or more feed bunks, hog troughs and many other articles too numerous to mention which are invariably included in a closing out sale.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given purchaser giving bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

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PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale the following described property at the Oak Hill Stock Farm, 4 1/2 miles east of Maryville, on

Tuesday, February 18

8 HEAD OF HORSES—1 bay horse 7 years old, weight 1300; 1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1250; 1 black mare, smooth mouth, weight 1100; 1 bay horse 3 years old, weight 1200; 1 span black horse colts, 2 years old, weight 1000; 1 bay colt 2 years old, weight 900; 1 gray mare 2 years old, weight 1100.

ABOUT 50 HEAD OF HOGS—14 tried sows and 10 gilts, 10 head of barrows, fat; 1 Poland-China male hog; rest are shoats and pigs. All of these hogs have been through the cholera and are thoroughly immune.

FEED AND IMPLEMENTS—About 500 bushels of corn, about 6 tons of hay, 4 tons oats straw, and about 150 bushels oats. One Moline wagon, a good one; 1 John Deere lister and drill combined, 1 16-inch stirring plow, 1 McCormick mower, 1 McCormick rake, 2 sets work harness, 1 set buggy harness, 1 New Departure cultivator, nearly new; 1 National separator No. 12, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale have been complied with. Lunch by ladies of Mt. Airy.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
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J. A. Carmichael

CLOSING OUT SALE

As we are to dissolve partnership, we will sell at the Pat Gorman farm 5 miles east and 4 1/2 miles north of Maryville, and 9 miles southwest of Par-bell, and 8 miles northwest of Ravenwood, on

Thursday, February 20

The following property:

25 HEAD OF HORSES, MARES AND MULES—2 horses coming 5 years old, 10 head of horses and mares coming 4 years old, 5 head of horses and mares coming 3 years old, 6 yearling colts and 1 weanling colt, 1 mule coming 5 years old. These horses and mares are all draft bred and are as good quality as can be found in this or any other county. Will be fat and in good shape by sale day.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—2 extra good milk cows, 1 fresh, other will freshen soon; 9 2-year-old heifers, 14 head of spring calves, good ones.

57 HEAD OF HOGS—22 head of brood sows, 35 head of stock hogs.

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds.

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MEDIATION IS
URGED ON TAFT

Pan-American Union Suggests

Substitute for Intervention.

WOULD APPOINT COMMISSION.

Federals and Rebels Would Be Asked
Temporarily to Stop Fighting.
Three Hundred Thousand Americans
in Mexico.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Mediation in Mexico rather than intervention, by the appointment of a Pan-American commission, was urged upon President Taft, Senator Cullom of the foreign relations committee and Representative Flood of the foreign relations committee by John Barrett, director-general of the Pan-American union. The commission, which it is suggested, should seek to bring about a readjustment of Mexican affairs, would be composed of a statesman from the United States, an eminent Latin American diplomat now in Washington and an influential Mexican.

Mr. Barrett suggested for the commission such men as Senator Root or William J. Bryan, Senator Calderon, minister from Bolivia, or Dr. De Pena, minister from Uruguay, and Senator De La Barra of Mexico, former ambassador to the United States. The mediation proposal was made after conferences with members of the senate and house and following renewed assurances from the state department that there is no present intention of departing from the established policy of dealing with the situation in Mexico.

Would Apply New Doctrine.
In his letter outlining his plan, Mr. Barrett says that "it involves mediation rather than intervention, international American co-operation rather than individual United States action, and application of the Pan-American rather than the Monroe doctrine."

The commission, he suggests, should investigate the situation in Mexico on the ground and make recommendation to Mexico which shall adjust the situation in favor of permanent peace and stability. Through Ambassador Wilson in Mexico City the plan would be presented to the Mexican government and to the revolutionary leaders, who would be urged to cease hostilities "pending the action and report of the commission and it should be made known to the Mexican government and people that they would be expected to give this moral support and interest of all America to carry out the conclusions of such international commission."

Taft Not Framing Message.
Rumors that President Taft is framing a message to be sent to congress to lay before that body an exact statement of conditions in Mexico and so letting an expression of its will for guidance of the administration was denied by officials who would be called upon to supply data for such a communication.

Discussing the Mexican situation in the house, Representative J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania said it would be deplorable "if in order to maintain the honor and dignity of the United States we should be obliged to send troops into Mexico, but if our well-tinted diplomatic negotiations are to be trifled with, then, of course, the matter assumes a different aspect."

Approximately 300,000 American citizens are either temporarily or permanently residing in Mexico, according to estimates of the state department.

ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS ACTIVE

Opponents of Votes for Women Plan
Rival Campaign.

Boston, Feb. 14.—If plans of anti-suffrage leaders are carried out, Washington is to be a battleground on which small armies of suffragists and anti-suffragists will contend during inauguration week for popular support. The proposal of the suffragists to carry their campaign for "votes for women" into the nation's capital in connection with the inaugural program was followed by formal announcement of an opposition movement, which provides for the mustering in Washington of all the available campaigning strength of the anti-suffragists.

Delegations of women from sixteen states are expected to go to Washington, according to leaders of the "anti" who are in this city.

Leaders of the opposition plan to precede the suffragette "pilgrims" to Washington and to have the anti-suffragist campaign under way before those in favor of suffrage get started. A public meeting in a Washington hotel, street displays and campaign of posters, hand bills, badges and buttons are included in the program.

Colorado Fuel and Iron Cuts Melon.
New York, Feb. 14.—Directors of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company declared a dividend of 35 per cent on the preferred stock, a total of about \$1,450,000. The payment represents an accumulation of back dividends after a record year of earnings.

O'Neill Is Given Term in Prison.
Coeur d'Alene, Ida., Feb. 14.—For having made false statements as to the financial condition of the State Bank of Commerce at Wallace, Ida., where he was president, B. F. O'Neill was sentenced to serve from two to ten years in the penitentiary.

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MADERO'S GENERALS.

General Villina and
General Mongea, Who
Are Aiding President.



Photo by American Press Association.
General Villina is at left, with aid in center. The picture was taken at a recent skirmish with the rebels.

STUDENTS GREET
SUFFRAGE ARMY

Thirteen Women Arrive at Princeton After Severe March.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 14.—The staccato yell of Princeton university, with the appendage "Votes for women! Votes for women! Votes for women!" greeted the "army" of suffragettes which is marching to Washington when it arrived here. The women, thirteen strong, had covered twenty-seven miles in eight hours of active walking and several of them were on the point of exhaustion when the lights of the university town twinkled a welcome.

"General" Rosalie Jones, commander of the expedition, declared that for real hardship the walk exceeded any thing she had experienced. "Corporal" Martha Platchen, who is less than five feet tall, had to be supported the last four miles of the march. She staggered into the village an hour after the arrival of the vanguard, pluckily refusing offers of a lift from passing automobiles.

HARD COAL TRUST ATTACKED
Government Files Civil Suit in Federal Court at Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 14.—Further prosecution of the "hard coal trust" was begun here by the federal government in a civil suit against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal company, charging violations of both the Sherman anti-trust law and the commodity clause of the interstate commerce act.

It is understood that this move may be followed by one or more similar suits against other anthracite carrying railroads and their allied coal companies. The government's petition in equity alleges that the coal carrying roads and their affiliated coal companies, including the defendants, make and control the f. o. b. prices of anthracite at the terminals of New York, the chief distributing center, which regulates the prices in other markets.

Woman Given Prison Term for Bigamy.
Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—An indeterminate sentence of from three to five years in the state prison at Stillwater was given to Mrs. Lola Pierce-Rothe Berg in the district court here. The woman was convicted of bigamy. She is alleged to have married Union Rothe of Des Moines, Sept. 11, 1912, and Frank Berg in Minneapolis two months later while her first husband, William Pierce of Seattle, still was living.

Two Sorties From Adrianople Repulsed.
Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 14.—Two attempted sorties by the beleaguered Turkish garrison of Adrianople were repulsed by the Bulgarians. The Turks lost more than 1,000 killed and wounded, according to the official report of the Bulgarian war office.

Ethel Roosevelt Becomes Engaged.
New York, Feb. 14.—Colonel and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt made known the engagement of their second daughter, Ethel C. Roosevelt, to Dr. Richard Derby, son of the late Richard H. Derby of New York, the Times says.

Cash Register Heads Held Guilty.
Cincinnati, Feb. 14.—A verdict of guilty on three counts was found by the jury trying the case of the twenty-nine officers or former officers of the National Cash Register company here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Helwig of Eldorado, Ark., left for their home Wednesday evening, after a few days' visit with Mr. Helwig's mother, Mrs. S. A. Helwig.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel (European), 313 South Sixth street. Heated Rooms 50 cents a day.

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ABRAHAM, THE HEBREW.
Genesis 12:1-9—Feb. 16.

"I will bless thee, and make thee great; and thou shalt be a blessing."—Verse 7.

ABRAHAM is one of the great characters in history. God's promises made to him constitute the foundation of faith for Jews, Christians and Mohammedans, although many of them are not aware of the fact. The Jews are Abraham's descendants through Isaac and Jacob; while Mohammedans represent especially Ishmael and Esau. Christians profess to have become heirs to the chiefest blessings promised to Abraham's Seed, by becoming joint-heirs with Christ Jesus, whom they consider the antitype of Isaac.

The New Testament claim is that the Church of Christ is the antitype of Rebecca, Isaac's wife and joint-heir; and that Christ and the Church, as the Spiritual Seed of Abraham, will be God's agency in blessing the nations. But much of the New Testament teachings was lost during the Dark Ages. Christians forgot that they were called to be joint-heirs in Meesiah's "In thy seed shall all Kingdom, to bless."

Only now are Bible students getting back to the teachings of Scripture. Only now are we learning the true import of St. Paul's words, "If ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's Seed, and heirs according to the promise."

God's Call to Abraham.
Abraham's birthplace was Ur, one hundred twenty miles north of the Persian Gulf. His father Terah was a heathen. Polytheism prevailed—the worshiping of many gods. From Ur, the family migrated to Haran, about five hundred miles in the direction of Palestine. There Abraham remained until Terah's death.

God's dealings with Abraham, according to St. Stephen (Acts 7:2, 3), began while he was in Ur. God called him out of his evil surroundings, to be the founder of a new nation, holy and obedient to God. The migration from Ur to Haran took the family away from the idolatrous scenes of the metropolis to pastoral life. In harmony with the Divine call, Abraham, then seventy-five years old, his wife Sarah, and his nephew Lot, with their flocks and herds, moved to Canaan after the death of Terah.

Abraham's Great Faith in God.
Abraham was full of faith. This feature of his character especially endeared him to the Almighty, who, because of it, styled him His friend. The Bible does not claim that Abraham was perfect. "There is none righteous (perfect), no, not one." (Romans 3:10) None measure up to the glorious image of God represented by Adam.

Abraham was not the friend of God because of his great education, nor for his wonderful intellectual powers. Nevertheless, he had intellectual powers. The fact that he was very rich indicates that he was a good manager. His skill as a leader was shown when Lot and the wealthy Sodomites were taken captive by Chedorlaomer. Abraham promptly armed three hundred and eighteen of his servants, pursued the victors and recovered the spoils.

But it was not for his skill as a general that God loved Abraham. The special quality that God esteemed in him is repeatedly mentioned in the Bible as having been his faith. "Abraham believed God."

Children of Abraham.
Abraham's children, from God's standpoint, include only those who have faith in God. The original evidence of this faith and obedience was circumcision of the flesh, figuratively representing a turning away from sin to obedience to God. Circumcision has become largely a ceremony with the Jews. Such faithless circumcision entitles them to no special Divine favor. But all Jews who still trust in the promises made to Abraham will soon be recipients of marked evidences of Divine blessing through Messiah, who soon is to set up God's Kingdom.

St. Paul explains that all true Christians become the Spiritual Seed of Abraham—heirs of certain spiritual promises, as the natural seed are heirs of certain earthly promises, not yet fulfilled. As the natural seed must maintain circumcision to mark their separation from the Gentiles, so the Spiritual Seed must have circumcision of the heart—separating them from the world and from sin, marking them as "peculiar people, zealous of good works."

We exhort both Jews and Christians to honesty and faithfulness—obedience to God: the one class, that they may inherit the Heavenly promises; the other, that they may be ready for the inheritance which will be theirs as soon as the Heavenly, Spiritual Seed of Abraham shall have been completed.

Misses Pearl and Bertha Snapp returned to their employment in Kansas City Thursday, after a two months' stay in Maryville on account of the illness of their father, John Snapp, who is improving from his serious illness.

A. A. Thummel and Miss Coga Thummel of Parnell, who have been making a short visit with Mr. Thummel's daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis, returned home Friday.

Joseph Skidmore and George Rimmel of Guilford were transacting business in the city Thursday.

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WILL SELL at the house 500 pounds bran at 95c per 100 lbs; shorts, \$1.08 for 100 lbs. Glover & Alexander. 7-2

WANTED—Girl to strip tobacco and learn to pack cigars. Hutton's cigar factory. 12-15

LOST—Saturday afternoon, a white cameo pin, delicately tinted, woman's head, medium size. Leave at this office. Reward. 12-14

FOR SALE—A few special bargains in Maryville city property if sold this month. See or phone Allen Brothers, the land men. 14-17

FOR SALE—4 room house, 2 lots, good cave, fruit trees, well, etc. Southeast part of town. Inquire this office. 12-14

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FOR SALE—My driving mare "Kit", 1,050 pounds; lady can drive her. She has more sense than some men. A. C. Hopkins, 1001 N. Dewey street. 14-17

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FOR SALE—One bay mare 6 years old, weight about 1,050 pounds. See Lave Stamper or call Farmers phone 156-17. 12-14

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth \$2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-19

WANTED—Men and women to prepare for examination for postmaster, clerk, carrier, etc. Thousands of openings soon. Prepare now. We teach all and can coach you for examinations. By mail only. Address Maryville Business college. 8-15

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL
White Orpington and prize
winning S. C. Buff Orpington
Eggs for hatching. White Orpington
cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell
phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Keller-
strass strain. Now booking
orders for eggs, \$2 and \$3 per
setting. Get your orders in early.
G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if
taken at once.

R. C. R. I. REDS at 75c for 15
Eggs. Will deliver eggs when
anted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna,
Pickering, Mo.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn
and White Orpington cockerels
and Tom Turkeys.
MRS. C. H. RICE.
Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

S. C. BUFF AND WHITE
ORPINGTONS

Plenty of good, fresh eggs
from my Buffs in 100 lots at \$5.00
per, or by the single setting at \$1.00
per 15. Still have a few choice cock-
erels from both varieties at reasonable
prices. Also 3 Cycle incubators for
sale cheap.

MRS. HENRY N. MOORE,
Farmers' phone 2516. R. F. D. 4

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IT CLOSES TODAY

THREE SPEAKERS LAST DAY OF THE SHORT COURSE.

ORCHARDS NOT PAYING

Dr. Whitten Gave Some Reasons—Kempster Says Set Egg Standard High—Trowbridge on Horse.

Friday was the closing day of the short course week which has been conducted here since the first of the week by the state college of agriculture. The course has been very successful and the attendance was much larger today than it has been this week.

Mr. Kempster's talk Friday morning at the short course dealt entirely with the marketing of eggs and the conditions that will bring about better condition of the eggs for the consumer.

"Don't wait until the day you intend to market your eggs to gather them, but bring them in every day," advised the poultry expert. "And then don't put the eggs up behind the stove or in some equally warm place where they will germinate, but take the proper care of them until time for marketing."

Mr. Kempster says the farmers of Missouri do not have a high enough standard for their eggs, and consequently their product will not bring as good a price on the eastern market. He advocates the establishing of the quality basis; that is, that every merchant and commission man who purchases the hen fruit from the farmer test the eggs, thereby raising the quality of the product, which eventually means a boost in the price.

At 10 o'clock Dr. J. C. Whitten, whose talk proved so popular last night lectured on fruit growing.

"Although there are quite a number of orchards in Missouri which are paying their owners from \$500 to \$800 yearly," said Dr. Whitten, "set the orchards of Missouri as a whole are not a paying proposition. For instance, one man near the state agricultural experiment station has an orchard of only eight acres, but which pays him from fifteen hundred to five thousand dollars yearly. And this orchard has borne fruit seven seasons out of eight. The only reason for this was scientific care. This fact explains why we may see a thriving orchard right next to one which produces practically nothing. As to the varieties, almost any apple grows well in Missouri soil. The care which one must use, however, in selecting the varieties is to adapt the apple to the soil of the particular orchard. The crying need of our orchards though is that nineteen-twentieths of them do not have the proper spraying and pruning."

"Now in the forest trees nature does this work by the thick growth of the branches above crowding out the lower limbs, which finally die and fall off. The apple trees, on the contrary, are placed at regular intervals and are not close enough together to do this."

"It would be just as reasonable," said the speaker, "to sow corn broadcast as to let these trees grow according to their own inclination. Another feature fully as important is that of destroying the fungi growths and insect pests. This is accomplished by spraying, and the Bordeaux mixture is as good possibly as any that can be used. The importance of thorough spraying was also emphasized. As illustrative of the value of spraying, Dr. Whitten cited an instance which had come beneath the notice of the university. A man owning an orchard of one hundred and forty acres said that if they could demonstrate the value of spraying to him that he would buy a machine and spray his whole orchard. A representative acre was selected and sprayed according to the best ideas of the experts. The next year the one acre produced more marketable apples for a greater amount than from the whole 139 acres."

"The orchards should be sprayed at least three times during the spring and summer, and four times if possible."

Prof. E. A. Trowbridge, the university expert of horses, talked to the class on his pet "hobby" at the 11 o'clock hour. Mr. Trowbridge was here last year in connection with the short course, and he had a good audience. He dealt in a general way with the feeding of horses, emphasizing especially the proper rations for young colts and yearlings.

Mr. Kempster again spoke this afternoon and his subject was "Raising Poultry on the Farm."

SPOKE ON AGRICULTURE.

Dr. J. C. Whitten of the State University Talked on That Subject Last Night.

Those fortunate enough to have heard the lecture last night on agriculture by Dr. Whitten of the university had the privilege of hearing one of the most masterly discussions of the subject that has fallen to the lot of Maryville people for some time.

"In the first place," said Dr. Whitten, "the people of this region have a rich heritage given them by nature in the fertility of the soil. One of the most prominent agricultural experts of the world said in one of his lectures that if he were to choose the most fertile spot on the globe of one hundred miles diameter that it would lie right here in the Missouri valley, and Maryville lies in the circle. Then, too, we live in the greatest country in the world—that is to say that every other nation of the world looks to us for many of the necessities of life."

"Did you know," asked the speaker, "that the United States is the only place in the world where practically all of the people have enough to eat? England produces only enough foodstuffs in one year to feed her people for three weeks. If we should put all the people of our land in Missouri we would have approximately the condition that exists in China. Practically all the continental countries have had all the virgin fertility of their lands exhausted hundreds of years ago, and their system of farming would be a revelation to us. Our agricultural proposition, too, is going to assume a different aspect from that of the last century, in that we have no large additional areas to go to. And the time is coming when we shall reach Europe's position in this matter. If we only might see the women working fourteen hours a day in the fields, picking up in their apron the scattered heads of the wheat that have fallen from the bundles, giving a portion of this to the landlord for the privilege of gathering it up, and at last having only enough to make bread for a day, it would be a lesson to us. Also we do not realize what the possession of land means. In Europe nothing short of a calamity will make a man sell his land."

"And there is not a land agent in the whole domain, a condition which we can hardly realize. The men in those countries who study agriculture most extensively are the possessors of land."

"The growth in agricultural work has been enormous during the last twenty years. The profession of agriculture, until within the last few years, has been rather looked down upon as menial, but that time is now past and the study is considered just as honorable as that of law, medicine or any of the other professions."

"Almost any one," said Dr. Whitten, "can grow a good crop on this rich virgin soil of Missouri, but how many could make one of those German farms a success? This task calls for just as much learning and skill as any other of the professions that we know. Even the railroads are hiring agricultural experts to advise the farmers along their lines for the rich farming districts mean business for them. And it will pay them in the long run by the increase in business which they will handle."

At the close of Dr. Whitten's talk Mr. Cameron of the Normal called on Prof. T. R. Douglass, who was to leave for Columbia at 9:47, who hurriedly talked on a few subjects which he had not time to cover in his talks at the Normal.

With the Short Courses.

Prof. Kempster, who is the wit of the short course, seems to be in league with the local jewelers. In Friday's lecture, on the marketing of eggs, he said that since unfertile eggs will keep much better, it would be advisable to get rid of the roosters after breeding season. "But if you get rid of the rooster, what are you going to have to wake you up in the morning?" questioned one of his listeners. "Sell him and purchase a Big Ben alarm clock," answered Mr. Kempster quickly.

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In the demonstration judging horses, at Gray's pavilion, Friday afternoon, J. F. Roelofson's draft horses were used for the judging in that breed, while several saddle horses owned by Ross Miller of Graham were judged in

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AVERAGE YIELD 33

RED BOOK GIVES NODAWAY CORN YIELD AT THAT.

165,000 ACRES IN CORN

22,347 Acres of Wheat Produced an Average of 22 Bushels, While 21,758 Acres of Oats Yielded 32.

According to the report as prepared by the Missouri State board of agriculture Nodaway county had good crops in the year 1912. The following is the report:

Nodaway county had 22,347 acres of wheat for the year 1912. The average yield per acre in bushels was 22, and the total yield in bushels was 491,634.

In oats, Nodaway county had 21,758 acres, the average yield per acre in bushels being 32, and the total yield of the county in bushels was 5,445,792.

In hay and forage there was 59,985 acres in the county, and the total yield in tons was 86,674.

CRAIG'S BILL ENGROSSED.

Empowers Governor to Appoint Two Commissioners to Investigate Co-Operative Agricultural Societies.

Jefferson City, Feb. 14.—The senate engrossed a bill introduced by Senator Anderson Craig of Nodaway which empowers the governor to appoint two commissioners to act under the auspices of the Southern Commercial congress and visit European countries to investigate co-operative agricultural societies and rural credits. The bill carries an appropriation of \$2,400.

Francis M. Wilson, president pro tem of the senate, was named yesterday morning to head the committee to examine into the home rule bills and report facts to the Democratic caucus next Monday afternoon. Upon the action of this caucus will depend largely the future of the home rule and county unit bills now pending before the legislature. Other members of the committee are Senators Craig of Nodaway and White, and Representatives Phelps, Barbee and Hay. The "drys" have only two of the six members, Craig and Hay.

To Teach in Hammond.

Miss Lulu Todd left Friday noon for Hammond, Ind., where she has accepted a position as primary teacher in the public schools.

FIRE AT SKIDMORE.

Residence of Dr. J. E. Pierpoint Almost Dismantled by Fire That Started in a Clothes Closet.

HE IS NEARLY 100

ISAAC PRICE WILL ROUND OUT CENTURY MARK IN 1914.

Retired 25 Years Ago

ELMO TO HAVE ELECTION.

To Vote on Bond Issue of \$3,000 For the Purpose of Having an Electric Light Plant.

Elmo is to hold an election on Monday, March 3, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing bonds of \$3,000 for an electric light plant at that town. When the petition was presented to the town board it contained seventy-four names, being more than two-thirds of the resident tax payers. Grant Elrod, S. A. Dales and V. A. Gates were selected as judges of the election.

Elmo has been considering the proposition of owning its own light plant for some months. The light plant there was put in by Joe Younger, who is well known to the people over the county. It has been shut down several times recently, and since Elmo can't go back to the old lights, they are going to vote for a light plant.

WITH SEWELL & CARTER.

W. E. Jones, Former Bell Manager, to be Sales Manager for Auto Firm Here.

W. E. Jones has accepted a position as sales manager for the Sewell & Carter Auto company of Maryville and Burlington Junction, distributors of the Overland, Velle and Winton six cars. He is to commence work Monday.

Mr. Jones was formerly manager of the Bell company at this place and has been connected with that company in various capacities for about eight years. The Bell local exchange was recently taken over by the Hanamo.

Miss Laura Gittings of St. Joseph is spending a few days in Maryville the guest of Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher.

HE IS NEARLY 100

ISAAC PRICE WILL ROUND OUT CENTURY MARK IN 1914.

RETIRE 25 YEARS AGO

Has Been a Resident of This County Forty-two Years—Life Story of Old Blacksmith is Interesting.

Mr. Isaac Price, living three miles southwest of Barnard, will be 99 years of age if he lives until the 22nd day of next May. He is still in fair health for a man of his age, and has retained his intellectual powers to an amazing degree.

He was born in Beaver county, Pennsylvania, May 22, 1814. He was reared on the farm until he was 17 years of age. At this age he begged his father to let him learn the blacksmith trade, and then he went to Faltston, Pa., where he shod his first horses and pounded his first anvil. He worked away there for a year and then was compelled to leave for Fairview, Pa., on account of the dreadful disease of cholera that was infesting that community. Having arrived in Fairview he resumed his trade, and at the age of 22 he married his first wife. His wife died after several years and left him four children to care for.

Not having a companion to help advise, he was induced to go here and there for work until the little he had laid up while his wife was living was practically all gone. Finally he located at Little Beaver, in Columbia county, Ohio, where he became intimately acquainted with the man who became his financial savior. His name was Matthew Laughlin, a merchant. He told Mr. Price that if he would succeed in life he must keep an account of his earnings, and at the end of every year strike a balance, and if he found that his expenditures were more than his earnings he must curtail his expenses, as a man must produce more than he earns if he ever accumulated anything of value. This instruction immediately became his motto, and he gave his wife, whom he had married in the meantime, his first 50 cents earned. From this small beginning he gradually accumulated until he became one of the well to do farmers of Nodaway county years later.

Mr. Price moved to Indiana in 1856 and hammered away at the blacksmith trade until March 8, 1871. He then sold his interests there and came to Nodaway county with \$12,000. He soon bought 300 acres of land for \$9,000, which has since been his home. This place is now worth near \$50,000, and

ranked as one of the best farms in Nodaway county. His son, Mr. John Price, now owns all but twenty-five acres of this place. The venerable old man is now living on the interest of his money.

Mr. Price has been a member of the M. E. church for sixty-two years, the father of twelve children, and followed the blacksmith trade for fifty years. He has been on the retired list for twenty-five years, and now at the age of 99 years he is kind and cheerful as many men of 40. May grandpa round out his one hundredth birthday, and may comfort and peace be his.

ORDERS TO RECRUIT.

Company F Wants 100 Men Immediately, as They May Have to Go to Mexico.

Capt. Ezra Phipps, commanding officer of Company F, Fourth Regiment, N. G. M., received the following telegram late Thursday afternoon:

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 13.—Commanding Officer Company F, Maryville, Mo., Recruit company to 100 immediately. C. C. McDONALD, Colonel.

Companies of 100 are only allowed in times of war. In times of peace 50 is the limit.

From the above it will be seen that the home boys may be permitted to smell smoke down in the land of the "greaser" in the very near future. It also seems to indicate the seriousness of the situation down in Mexico.

As the local company is only now composed of 46, 54 new men are wanted at once. Here's a chance for some of the town boys to take a little outing on government pay and at Uncle Sam's expense—and perhaps at the same time get shot full of holes by guerilla bands of Mexican cutthroats. The men must be between the ages of 18 and 35.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT.

Insurance Carried by Late C. M. Grems Received in Less Than a Month.

The insurance carried by the late Charles Curtis Grems in the W. O. W. lodge was received Friday in Maryville by N. S. DeMotte, clerk of that lodge, being a prompt settlement. Mr. Grems' death occurred January 19 and it took less than a month for the beneficiary settlement. The insurance amounted to \$3,000, being in three checks for \$1,000 each, and to John G. Grems, father of the deceased, and his two sisters, Miss Adella Grems and Miss Louella Grems.

The following is the acknowledgment made by the beneficiaries to the lodge:

To the officers and members of Magnolia Camp No. 8, Woodmen of the World, in acknowledging the receipt of the prompt payment of the insurance carried by our son and brother, Charles, who was a member of your great order, we wish to express to you our appreciation of the sympathy and fraternal feeling extended to us in our very sad bereavement, and through you we wish to extend our thanks to the grand camp officers for so prompt adjustment of the claim.

Very respectfully and fraternally yours,

J. G. GREMS,
ADELLA GREMS,
LOUELLA GREMS,
L. M. GREMS.

HERE FOR THE FUNERAL.

Body of Mrs. W. W. Jackson Accompanied to Maryville by Relatives.

Mrs. Anna Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Andrews of Trenton, Mo., arrived in Maryville Thursday evening with the body of Mrs. W. W. Jackson, whose death occurred at Mrs. Andrews' home Thursday morning. The body was taken to the undertaking parlors of Price & McNeal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Andrews, who were married recently in our city, and Mrs. Andrews are at the home of Mrs. Clair Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews of South Buchanan street.

Other relatives of the deceased woman, Charles Avery and A. C. Andrews of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville Thursday night for the funeral, at the First Presbyterian church Friday afternoon.

Attended Roelofson Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Roelofson and son Ira of Barnard, Mrs. E. E. May of Savannah, Allan May of St. Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Ellis of Guilford returned home Thursday evening. They came to Maryville Wednesday night to be present at the funeral of the mother of Mr. Roelofson and Mrs. May, Mrs. R. S. Roelofson, who died Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. May.

Miss Jennie Boyd of Clyde was in Maryville Friday.

LOST—Brass cap off of wheel of tire wagon. Fluder will please return to city hall or Real Estate bank. 13-11

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at Crane's

TAXED THE MONEY

ABSTRACT OF BANK ASSESSMENTS COMPLETED.

TOTAL VALUE \$845,750

Four Maryville Banks Will Pay Taxes on Nearly \$200,000—What the Assessments Are.

The abstract assessment as compiled by the county clerk's office of the twenty-three banks in Nodaway county for the purpose of taxation for the year 1913 shows that the total value of the capital stock, including reserve fund, undivided profits and other values of these banks to be \$845,750.44. The capital stock of these banks amounts to \$625,000, and the total reserve funds, undivided profits, premiums or earnings and all other values is \$210,750.44.

The total assessed value of the stock and reserve funds, undivided profits and other values, after deducting real estate amounts to \$373,225. The total value of the real estate, represented by stock, which was deducted, amounts to \$99,299. The total assessed value of real estate represented by stock, as shown by the real estate books, which was deducted, amounts to \$27,290.

The following are what the banks of the county are assessed, according to the abstract assessment statement:

Nodaway Valley bank	\$61,800
Maryville National	58,550
First National	56,750
Real Estate bank	19,000
Barnard State bank	20,200
Bank of Hopkins	12,400
First National of Burlington Junction	16,300
Northwestern of Burlington Junction	15,850
Farmers of Parnell	14,225
Citizens of Graham	13,000
Bank of Guilford	13,245
Farmers and Merchants, Elmo	11,010
Jackson bank, Clearmont	9,848
Platte Valley, Ravenwood	16,900
Farmers and Merchants, Hopkins	8,004
Citizens of Guilford	7,193
Bank of Skidmore	7,233
Farmers bank of Skidmore	6,937
Bank of Pickering	5,600
Bank of Conception, Clyde	8,450
Arkoe State bank	5,040
Farmers of Quitman	6,900
Farmers of Conception Junction	4,650

The banks of the county are capitalized as follows:

Nodaway Valley, \$100,000; Maryville National, \$100,000; First National, \$100,000; Real Estate bank, \$30,000; Barnard, State bank, \$30,000; Bank of Hopkins, \$25,000; First National of Burlington Junction, \$25,000; Northwestern bank of Burlington Junction, \$25,000; Farmers of Parnell, \$20,000; Citizens of Graham, \$20,000; Bank of Guilford, \$20,000; Farmers and Merchants, Elmo, \$20,000; Jackson bank of Clearmont, \$10,000; Platte Valley bank of Ravenwood, \$10,000; Farmers and Merchants, Hopkins, \$10,000; Citizens bank of Guilford, \$15,000; Bank of Skidmore, \$10,000; Farmers bank of Skidmore, \$10,000; Bank of Pickering, \$10,000; Bank of Conception, Clyde, \$15,000; Arkoe State bank, \$10,000; Farmers bank of Quitman, \$10,000; Farmers State bank of Conception Junction, \$10,000.

COLLEGE TO MEET TONIGHT.

To Consider Question of Hiring a Building For City Office Rooms and Also Council Room.

The city council will meet in adjourned session this Friday evening to consider the question of leasing a building for the city offices and council meetings. A committee appointed by the council will be ready to report tonight on what buildings can be secured for this purpose, and no doubt the council will select one. All of the city officers, such as mayor, collector, city marshal, city attorney, superintendent of the water plant, engineer of the water plant, and a council room will be together in the one building.

Miss Mary Taylor went to Des Moines Friday to visit the family of T. F. Ball.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday; moderate temperature.

On and after Feb. the 15th

We Will Sell for

CASH ON

Those owing us and settle.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

WOULD YOU LIKE MY OPINION? I will give it to you willingly, FREE OF CHARGE.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic
township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce
P. S. GRUNDY
as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector, subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic township nom-
inating convention.

We are authorized to announce
FRANK BOLIN
as a candidate for the nomination for
Township Collector subject to the ac-
tion of the Democratic nominating con-
vention.

White Cloud Township.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for tax collector of White Cloud
township, subject to the decision of the
Democratic township nominating con-
vention.
S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for tax collector of White Cloud
township, subject to the decision of the
Democratic township nominating con-
vention.
RUFUS CAEY.

Is 85 Years Old Today.
John Ham is 85 years old today. He
is now confined to his home with ill-
ness. Mr. Ham came to Nodaway
county fifty-six years ago and has
held many offices of honor and trust.
Ernest Waugh and Lorene Waugh of
Bohckow, who have been visiting Claren-
ce Cole and family, four miles south
of Maryville, returned home Wednes-
day evening.

FOR A BAD STOMACH PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN.

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sour-
ness and Indigestion is Gone.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indiges-
tion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the
food you eat ferments into gases and
stomach lumps; your head aches and
you feel sick and miserable, that's
when you realize the magic in Pape's
Diapepsin. It makes such misery van-
ish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous
revolt—if you can't get it regulated,
please, for your sake, try Diapepsin.
It's so needless to have a bad stom-
ach—make your next meal a favorite
food meal, then take a little Diapep-
sin. There will not be any distress—
eat without fear. It's because Pape's
Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak,
out-of-order stomachs that gives it
its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's
Diapepsin from any drug store. It is
the quickest, surest stomach relief and
cure known. It acts almost like
magic—it is a scientific, harmless and
pleasant preparation which truly be-
longs in every home.—Advertisement.

GUILFORD NEWS ITEMS.
Mrs. Carl Wray and children and
Mrs. Eunice Parr went to Hamilton,
Mo., Wednesday to visit their sister
Mrs. T. D. Parr.

Joseph Skidmore, Mary C. Hilde-
brand and G. B. Rhinel were in Mary-
ville Thursday on business, making the
trip in the Rhinel car.

Will Wray had a car of stock on the
St. Joseph market Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Miller is improving from
a very serious illness caused by eat-
ing a frozen apple.

J. M. Broadbent's sale Wednesday
was very successful. Mr. Broadbent
will give possession of his farm to S.
P. Curritt the first of March. Mr. Cur-
ritt having bought it some time ago.

Lazarus, the handsome 120-pound
pig that belonged to W. H. Miller, our
restaurantier, is no more. He feasted
long and often from the crumbs that
fell from his master's table and throve
and throve upon them. But he got too
greedy and began to poke his snout
into the tin cans that were thrown
out with the crumbs, and as he had
not been provided with the stomach of
a goat, he contracted ptomaine poison-
ing and died a horrible death there-
from on Thursday morning. His quar-
ters are now empty, waiting for a suc-
cessor, but a wiser one, while his hind
quarters and fore quarters are re-
posing in a hole dug for him out at
the edge of town.

A local or county representative is
wanted by the Fruit Grower and
Farmer, St. Joseph, Mo. Anyone in-
terested should apply for the position.
Experience is unnecessary. Good
money can be earned. Liberal com-
missions with over \$2,000 in extra
prizes. Write them for information
and outfit.

A marriage license was issued Fri-
day by Recorder Wray to Roy I. Baker
of Clarinda, Ia., and Miss Libbie E.
Baker of Shambaugh, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolin went to
Clyde, Kan., Wednesday evening on a
short business trip.

Dr. Fay Allen left for his home in
Roswell, N. M., Thursday morning.

MAN GETS A NEW STOMACH.

After Trying to Enjoy Life for Years
With No Good Stomach He
Gets Wise.

"I was bothered for years with stom-
ach trouble and gastritis. Food laid
like lead in my stomach and ferment-
ed, forming gas. This caused a pres-
sure on my heart, so that I choked and
gaped for breath. I thought my time
had come. MI-O-NA cured me after I
had doctored without success."—Wm.
V. Matthews, Bloomington, Ind.

Call it Gastritis! Catarrh of the
Stomach, Indigestion or Dyspepsia; it
matters not. MI-O-NA Stomach Tab-
lets will drive out all the misery and
give you practically a new, clean, will-
ing-to-work stomach or Orear-Henry
Drug Co. will refund the price.

That's honorable, isn't it? So if you
want to get rid of your sour, gassy,
heavy, stupid, irresponsible stomach
get a 50-cent box today.—Advertisement.

THE HEART OF TOMMY.

Th' teecher sez I've got a hart.
But teecher's off her trol-
ley.



Once on a time I had a hart,
But now it's owned by Mol-
ly!

A Valentine Kiss.
"A kiss upon this valentine
I press," he wrote to her.
"I've placed it underneath this line.
I hope you won't demur."
"I do not want the kiss you sent,"
She answered, "not at all!"
But just because it was well meant
I'll keep it till you call."

IT CLOSES TODAY

(Continued from Page 1)
the light horse division. The demon-
stration work was in charge of Mr.
Trowbridge.

Judging from the large number of
women present at the lectures Friday
the ladies are very eager to learn how
to increase their poultry revenues.

The second annual short course of
Nodaway county will come to a close
Friday night with a monster banquet
at the First Methodist church. The ad-
vance sale of tickets to the feast shows
that a large crowd will be there.

Baby Operated On.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Trumbo and
their 6-months-old child of Hopkins,
accompanied by Dr. Charles Kirk of
that place, came to Maryville Thurs-
day evening to consult Dr. F. R. An-
thony in regard to an abscess of the
ear from which the baby had been suf-
fering for some time. The baby was
operated on successfully at St. Francis
hospital Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs.
E. T. Trumbo and Mr. and Mrs. N. A.
Henderson of Bedford the parents of
Mr. and Mrs. Trumbo, came to Mary-
ville Friday morning and were pre-
sent at the hospital for the operation.

"Defending the Flag."

This patriotic play presented by the
high school of Barnard at the M. E.
church of that place Wednesday night,
was largely attended and the house
receipts netted \$56, which will be used
in some way for the benefit of the
school. Those taking part in the play
were Leonard Mendenhall, Homer
Stalling, Walton Lewis, Dean and
Ross Humbert, Paul Giesinger, Meri
Hammond, Russell Akey, Elmer Sells,
Oral Giffin, Hugh Keenan, Orley Stra-
der, Walter Hagar, Miss Hazel Car-
nutt, Miss Dorothy Strader, Miss Nabel
Cook.

Will Move to Columbia.

Mrs. W. H. Brown and son will leave
the first of March for Columbia, Mo.,
to make their home with Robert and
his sister, Miss Bessie Brown, are at-
tending the state university. Dr.
Brown will remain in Maryville and
continue his osteopathic practice and
also engage in the real estate business
with his brother, Joseph Brown.

Visitors From Elmo.

Miss Della Colvin, Mrs. John Lamar
and Miss Donna Lamar of Elmo were
among the Maryville visitors Thurs-
day. Miss Lamar was here for her
usual weekly lessons in education and
music. Mrs. T. L. Wadley is her in-
structor in education.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of letters remain-
ing unclaimed in the Maryville post-
office for the week ending Wednesday,
February 12, 1913.

Gentlemen.

Burdick, Charles.
Cowan, P. D.
Denny or Dewey, Joe.
Faubion, S. A.
Jones, C. J.
Ken, Rev. Howard L.
Michlavy, Anton.
Roberts, George.
Royer, S. E.
Schepers, Albert.
Sprague, J. W.
Thompson, Howard.

Ladies.

Adelsburg, Miss Lillian.
Cornelius, Mrs. Ed F.
Green, Mrs. Hester A.
Johnston, Mrs. William T.
Lorke, Mrs. M.
Savitt, Mrs. Jessie.
Thomas, Mrs. L. K.
Tomson, Mrs. Wm. E.
Utzes, Mrs. Jim.
Vance, Mrs. M. E.
Wilkinson, Miss Jayne.

Miscellaneous.

Lawrence Hotel.
Persons calling for the above let-
ters will please say "advertised."
S. R. BEECH, Postmaster.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

At Home in Methodist Flats.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brewer have
leased the apartments in the Buchan-
an Street Methodist church flats vacat-
ed by Mrs. J. S. Ford and family,
and are now at home to their friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Brewer have been mak-
ing their home with Mr. and Mrs. W. A.
Miller, on South Main street, for a
year past.

Entertained a Few Friends.

Miss Ethel Winter entertained a few
of her friends at her home Tuesday
evening with a two-course luncheon.
The evening was spent in music and a
good time. Those present were Miss
Clara Taylor, Mr. Tom Manning, Miss
Nettie Miller, Mr. Dan O'Connell, Miss
Bertha Fanning, Mr. Ray Taylor, Miss
Ethel Winter, Mr. Milton Johnson,
Miss Elsie Winter, Mr. Robert Bradley,
Miss Tula Johnson, Mrs. Flossie Mil-
ler, Mr. Howard Miller, Mr. Gail John-
son and Mr. Glenn Johnson.

Brenneman-Yowell Wedding.

Maryville friends received announce-
ments Friday morning of the marriage
of Mr. Lester L. Yowell of Maryville
and Miss Kathryn A. Brenneman of
Wheeling, Mo., on Wednesday, Febru-
ary 12. The wedding took place at the
home of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. G. W. Brenneman. Mr. and Mrs.
Yowell will be at home after March 1
in Mrs. Mary Hansen's residence, on
East Seventh street. Mr. Yowell is a
member of the firm of Yowell & Sons,
feed store.

Pettigrew-Horton Wedding.

A quiet wedding occurred Wednes-
day evening at 6 o'clock at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pettigrew, two miles
north of Clyde, when their daughter,
Nellie, was united in marriage to
Henry Horton, a young farmer of that
vicinity. The only guests were the
immediate family. The ceremony was
performed by Rev. S. E. Hoover, pas-
tor of the Southern Methodist church
of Ravenwood. Mr. and Mrs. Horton
will make their home on the farm of
Robert Larmer, southeast of Raven-
wood.

Valentine Birthday Party.

Miss Hazel Ritchie was given a de-
lightful surprise party Thursday eve-
ning at the home of her mother, Mrs. S.
S. Casteel, in observance of her birth-
day anniversary. Eighteen guests were
bidden by Mrs. Casteel, and all re-
sponded, the honor guest being sur-
prised to the complete satisfaction of
everyone. When the parlors were
opened by the hostess for her guests,
Miss Ritchie was again surprised to
see them bewitchingly decorated in
hearts and valentines. The prizes at
the games went to Miss Kittle Grems
and Mr. Edgar Rhoades. A delicious
three-course luncheon was served.
The favors were cupid. Mrs. Casteel
was assisted in entertaining by Mrs.
Frank Green and Miss Adella Grems.

Entertained Thursday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunt entertained
Thursday evening in honor of their
daughter, Mrs. C. S. Hudson of Poplar
Bluff, Mo., who is visiting them. The
evening was spent in playing games
and a number of musical selections
were given. Refreshments were served.
The following were the guests: Mrs.
C. H. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Rol
Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Ethel
Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harris,
Ersel Harris, Mrs. John Stundon, Mary
Stundon, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen,
Mr. Polk Looker, Mr. and Mrs. A. G.
Gann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley, Mr.
and Mrs. John W. Coleman, Mr. and
Mrs. James Craig, Mr. Wesley Smith
of Pickering, Judge W. H. Conn, Mr.
and Mrs. J. L. Hunt and Mabel Hunt.

Married in Shawnee, Okla.

A marriage notice in the Oklahoma
City Times of a recent date will be of
interest to Nodaway county people, but
especially to the people of Barnard,
where the bridegroom, Mr. J. A. Dear-
ing, was for a number of years en-
gaged in business. Mr. Dearing, who
is now a resident of Lawton, Okla.,
was married Saturday evening, Feb-
ruary 1, at Shawnee, Okla. The fol-
lowing is the notice from the Times:

A quiet but beautiful wedding was
that of Saturday evening at the home
of Judge and Mrs. Malcolm E. Rosser
when Judge Rosser's sister, Mrs.
Obeira Pearson of Shawnee, Okla., was
united in marriage to Mr. J. A. Dear-
ing of Lawton, Dr. J. H. O. Smith of the
First Christian church performing the
ceremony. The house was pleas-
ingly decorated with palms and ferns
and the guests included only the in-
imate friends and members of the
family. The bride wore an imported
gown of chaire charmeuse with dra-
peries of lace of the same shade, com-
bined with jeweled net and bands of
coney. She carried a shower bouquet
of Killarney roses. Mrs. Dearing, who
is a most beautiful and talented wom-
an, has resided for a number of years
in Shawnee, where she has been one
of the social leaders, and her depart-
ure from that city is deeply deplored
by a large circle of friends. Mr. and
Mrs. Dearing left on the evening train
for Lawton, where they will make
their home. The guests at the wed-
ding were Mrs. W. P. Pigg of McAles-
ter, a sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs.
J. C. Pelphrey of Shawnee, Mrs.
Sachse and Miss Sachse of Shawnee.

Up to Parents, Not Children.

If parents' ambition is to wrest
enough money from the farm to en-
able them to "move to town and live
in comfort," how can they expect the
boy or girl to like farming? Make
farm living conditions, social life and
educational advantages better than in
towns—this can be done—then the
tide of population will flow back to
the land and stay there—Farm and
Home.

DR. A. T. EISHER

Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Ptterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

Closing Out Sale

Having rented my farm I will offer for sale on

Wednesday, February 26th, 1913

Owing to the size of this sale it will begin promptly at 10 o'clock

At my farm 7½ miles west of Burlington Junction, and 9 miles east of Tarkio on the
Glidden O. K. Short Line auto road, the following described personal property:

6 Head of Mules

1 span of mare mules, 8 years old,
weight 2700; 1 span of horse mules, com-
ing 6 and 7 years old, weight 2800; 1 span
of brown mare mules, 8 years old, weight
2650.

5 Head of Horses

1 draft mare, 8 years old, weight 1800;
1 sorrel horse, 8 years old, weight 1440;
1 brown 3 year old horse; 1 brown 4 year
old horse; 1 bay 4 year old horse.

100 Head of Hogs

50 bred sows; 50 stock hogs, all healthy
and in good condition.

106 Head of Cattle

20 head of cows and heifers, 50 head
of good calves, 36 head of coming 2 year
old steers. This is all native stuff.

Hay and Grain

About 5000 bushels of corn, 300 bushels of oats, hay in
stack, also some baled hay and baled oat straw, also 70
acres of wheat straw in stack.

Farm Implements, Etc.

5 sets of team harness, 2 McCormick mowers, 1 2-row John Deere lister, 2 2-row Dempster cultivators,
2 1-row corn plows, 1 sulky hay rake, 1 John Deere gang plow, 1 corn planter, 1 16-foot harrow, 2 2-row snake
killers, 1 bull rake, 2 16-blade discs, 1 16-inch stubble plow, 2 endgate grain seeders, 1 hay rake, 3 wag-
ons, 2 buggies, 1 grind stone, 1 14-hole Van Brunt wheat and grass drill combined, new; 8 feed bunks, 50
bushels of timothy seed. Some household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE: Sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount cash or 12 months time,
purchaser to give note with approved security bearing 8 per cent interest
from date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

R. R. STAPLES, Sr.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer; C. I. Hann, Clerk; W. W. Jones, lunch

Mrs. T. L. Ellis of Lawton, Mr. and
Mrs. Clarence Cranston and Mrs. J. H.
Grant of this city.

MADERO, WIFE, DIAZ.

President of Mexico,
His Wife and Leader
Of Latest Uprising.



Sues for a Divorce.

A suit for divorce was filed Friday
morning by Shinabargar, Blagg & Eli-
son for Emma F. DeMoss from Fred
T. DeMoss. The plaintiff prays for a
divorce and also the custody of an in-
fant child, and for support and perma-
nent alimony. The petition states that
the defendant is worth at least \$40,000.
The case will come up at the June term
of court.

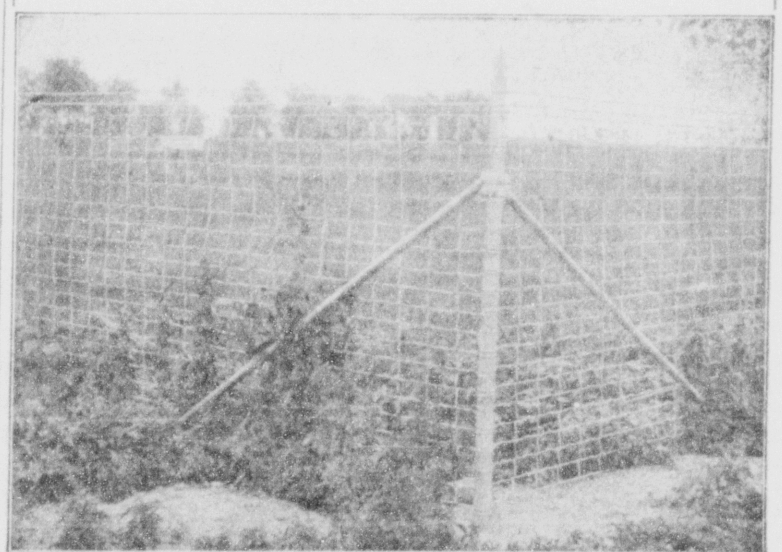
Big Cattle Man Here.

B. C. Settles of Palmyra, Mo., a Jer-
sey cattle breeder and judge of na-
tional reputation, spent Wednesday in
Maryville, the guest of T. A. Wiles, at
his farm, north of Maryville. Mr. Set-
tles came to inspect Mr. Wiles' herd of
100 head of Jersey cattle, and said he
had not seen so good a herd in a long
time.

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Cheaper than wood.
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Cattle—2,000. Market strong. Esti-
mate tomorrow, 400.

Hogs—26,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow,
17,000.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market strong.

Hogs—4,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—3,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—500. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market slow to 5c
lower; top, \$8.15.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

George Pat Wright went to Hopkins
Friday on business.

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"SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS AND CONSTIPATION

BETTER THAN CASTOR OIL, CALOMEL OR CATHARTICS TO CLEANSE YOUR STOMACH, LIVER AND 30 FEET OF BOWELS—HARMLESS LAXATIVE FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Primitive folks did not need laxatives. They lived outdoors, ate plenty of fruit, and all of their food was coarse. We modern people are different. We exercise too little, eat little fruit, and our food is too fine—too rich.

We simply can't have our ten yards of bowels clogged up, liver choked with sour bile and stomach full of foul effete matter and feel well. It means that the food and waste retained in the stomach and thirty feet of bowels ferments—decays. The decay creates poisons, gases and acids, and those poisons are sucked into the blood through the very ducts intended to suck in the nutriment. Then we have sick headache, become dull, bilious, tongue coated, nervous, meals don't digest, and we feel miserable all over. So we must make our choice. We must live like primitive folks, else we must take artificial means to move the excess bile and waste matter out and out of the system.

The safest, most harmless and effective stomach, liver and bowel cleanser and regulator for men, women and children—is delicious Syrup of Figs, which doesn't irritate, gripe or weaken. Its effect is the effect of fruits. It is composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics. Don't think you are drugging yourself. Syrup of Figs can be constantly used without harm.

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On Two Weeks' Visit.

Mrs. Will Foster went to Kansas City Thursday for a two days' visit with Dr. Robert Bantz. From there she will go to Hennessey, Mo., for a two weeks' visit with Mrs. B. D. Null.

Special Excursion Rates via Wabash.

To Washington, D. C., and return, \$38.50; account presidential inauguration ceremonies, March 4, 1913. Tickets on sale February 27, 28, Mar. 1 and 2; final return limit Mar. 19th. Let us provide for your ticket and Pullman reservation.

E. L. FERRITOR, Wabash Agt.

To Move to Bethany.

Lewis Hill, who has been with the H. C. Bower Hardware company, on the west side of the square, will leave Saturday evening for Bethany, where he has accepted a position with the Bethany Hardware company. His family will leave in the next few weeks for that town.

DANGEROUS DANDRUFF

Will Make America a Baldheaded Nation if Not Checked.

M. Pasteur, the great French Physician of Paris, once said, "I believe we shall one day rid the world of all diseases caused by germs."

Dandruff is caused by germs, a fact accepted by all physicians.

Dandruff is the root of all hair evils. If it were not for the little destructive germs working with a persistency worthy of a better cause, there would be no baldness.

Parisian Sage will kill the dandruff germs and remove dandruff in two weeks or money back.

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It puts life and lustre into the hair and prevents it from turning gray.

It is the hair dressing par excellence, daintily perfumed and free from grease and stickiness. It is the favorite with women of taste and culture who know the social value of fascinating hair.

A large bottle costs only 50 cents at leading druggist everywhere, and by the Koch Pharmacy. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.—Advertisement.

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ROCK ISLAND GANG PLOWS with two extra shares, C. T. X. Bottom.	\$55.00
Rock Island Sulky Plows, C. T. X.	\$37.50
Rock Island and Deere Disc Harrows with tongue trucks 15x16	\$30.00
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Goods delivered at your station in Nodaway or counties adjoining. Farm machinery is cheaper now than it has been for twenty-one years.	
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Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

City License Tax

Ordinance No. 440 requires of every Insurance Company and Agent before they are permitted to do business in the City, they must pay a license for such privilege. Agents take notice and get your receipt at once.

J. G. GREMS

City Collector

CANADIAN WOMAN KILLED BY SHELL

Third Feminine Victim of Mexican Fighting.

AMERICAN CLUB IS RIDDLED.

Forty Citizens of United States Have Narrow Escapes From Bursting Shells—Bombardment of National Palace Lasts for Hours.

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Greenfield, mother of Harry Greenfield, an employee of the Mexican Light and Power company, a Canadian corporation, was killed by a shell in Victoria street during the fighting. This makes three women among the foreign victims of the battles.

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Bombardment of the national palace by the rebels wrought havoc among the buildings in that section of the city. The American club was riddled. The interior of the second and third floors was completely wrecked. Of forty Americans within at the time, several had almost miraculous escapes from death.

Seven shells tore out the walls. The first two crashed through the reading room on the front of the second story. The others entered above the second story on the sides.

In addition to the shell fire, the interior, as well as the exterior, of the American club was perforated in scores of places by bullets from rifles and machine guns. The shells which entered the reading room tore their way through the stone window casings, demolished a heavy leather chair and exploded with terrific force. Shrapnel was hurled in all directions, cutting the furniture to ribbons, ripping the floors and walls and puncturing in a score of places the portraits which were about the room. The portrait most seriously damaged was that of President Madero.

Portraits Riddled.
President McKinley's face is now set in a circle of bullet holes, while the portrait of President Taft, hanging next, escaped with a single mark. President-elect Wilson's features were riddled, while at the other end of the line of portraits balls found lodgment in plenty in the picture of Jefferson.

To the rear of this room is a large one used for billiards and pool. There many Americans were gathered, as the manager had forbidden the members to assemble in the front room, when a second series of shells crashed through the wall.

Portions of shrapnel shell were hurled through the floor above the billiard room, among a group of Americans there. Four sleeping rooms on the fourth floor were wrecked. The wrecking of this building is typical of the damage done many others in all parts of the city.

Just around the corner from the American club near Porter's hotel, R. M. Meredith of Troy was injured. He was struck by shrapnel, suffering a scalp wound.

Demand Madero's Surrender.
It is reported that General Diaz had demanded the surrender of the national palace. All through the day the rebel batteries of heavy guns were throwing a fierce fire of shrapnel around the palace. Many of these dropped into the plaza, which fronts the buildings, and federal soldiers were compelled to move to cover.

The fire on both sides became intermittent, but apparently less vigorous from the federals. The government troops were receiving ammunition in small consignments, and it was said that they were running short.

The fifth day of the battle began at 8 a. m., a battery of federal artillery opening fire on the arsenal, but although the bombardment was kept up without cessation for an hour or so it had no appreciable effect on the rebel defenses.

That Diaz had prepared for the threatened overwhelming movement by the government which Madero promised was shown by the fact that he had stationed sharpshooters on the roofs of adjoining buildings, had dispatched a force outside his lines to the west of the city and had placed his heaviest guns in positions commanding all the approaches to his stronghold.

Fails to Rush Rebel Position.
General Huerta, commanding the federals, had promised to rush the fortifications of the rebels, but he elected instead to employ his artillery from the various points of vantage. Only once in the early part of the day did the infantry come into action.

During the heavy shelling of the palace Diaz apparently moved some of his forces to the southeast of the city and shortly after 12 o'clock the palace was made the target of both shells and rifle fire from that district. Coincidentally, the rebels succeeded in extending their zone of activity in other directions.

The rebel fire toward the palace was intended not only to bring about its surrender, but had for its purpose also the clearing of the intervening high buildings of machine guns and rifle-men and of silencing the federal battery operating in San Juan Letran street at a point midway between the arsenal and the palace.

Supper at A. M. E. Church.
There will be a supper at the A. M. E. church on Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

PILES! PILES! PILES!
WILLIAMS' INDIAN PILE OINTMENT
Will cure Blind Bleeding and Itching Piles, it absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief.
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For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

HOUSE PASSES COUNTY UNIT BILL

Local Option Measure Adopted by Two to One Vote.

UNION LABOR GETS TWO JOLTS

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—The house passed the county unit local option bill by a vote of 90 to 45.

Union labor got two jolts in the house. A bill making it a misdemeanor for any employer to refuse employment to a union or in any attempt to coerce him from joining a union was voted down by a large vote.

Another bill providing that every Sunday worker, policeman, fireman, even farm laborers who toiled on Sunday, should receive double pay was laid on the table.

Women in the rural district, of Missouri will not be able to sit on school boards for at least two years to come. Senator Craig's bill, which conferred this right on women in the rural districts, was defeated on reconsideration in the senate by a vote of 16 to 12.

The senate engrossed a bill, introduced by Senator Casey, which shortens the time policemen may hold persons suspected of crime from twenty hours to two hours. In explaining his measure Senator Casey said the police department in Kansas City had frequently in the past used this pretext for making numerous arrests on election days and holding the persons arrested until after the polls closed for the sole purpose of preventing them from voting.

APPROVE DRAIN ASSESSMENT

Supreme Court Upholds the Legislature's Power in Levee Matters.

Jefferson City, Feb. 14.—The supreme court upheld the power of the legislature to enable drainage and levee districts to assess abutting and benefited property for the cost of drains and levees. The opinion was filed in the suit of Louis Houck against the Little River Drainage company and was appealed from the Cape Girardeau circuit court.

The immediate point at issue was the validity of a special tax of 25 cents on the acre of all the land affected in the district, which is the largest in the state. There are 3,000,000 acres of land involved in the various drainage and levee districts and indirectly every one of them will be affected by this decision, which upholds the validity of such special taxes.

JOPLIN DOCTOR FINED \$500

Physician Admits He Gave Woman Information About Criminal Operation.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 14.—Dr. M. Luther Springs of this city pleaded guilty in the federal court to using the United States mails to give information telling a woman where a criminal operation could be performed, and on each of four counts was fined \$500 by Judge William Pope. Dr. Springs was indicted in the June term of court last year. He was suspended from practice by the Missouri board of health for one year at a meeting held by the board in St. Louis two weeks ago.

SENTENCE FOUR JOPLIN BOYS

Three Others of a "Gang" Are Held or Sought for Alleged Crimes.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 14.—Four of seven youths who confessed to the police to a series of crime that baffled the department for weeks have been given sentences, one to the penitentiary and three to the state industrial school for boys. A fifth awaits investigation as to his exact age, when he is to be sentenced, a sixth is being sought on a charge of first degree murder and the seventh is in jail, also pending trial on the latter charge.

Moberly Democrats Name City Ticket.

Moberly, Mo., Feb. 14.—In the Democratic city primary Rolla Rothwell was nominated for mayor; Charles Kelly, city collector; William Hinton, chief of police; Frank Tedford, police judge, and Harry Solomon, assessor.

A \$50,000 Fire at Mexico, Mo.

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 14.—Mexico had a \$50,000 fire when I. M. Greer's furniture store was completely destroyed. The fire started in the basement and swept up the elevator shaft.

Casket of Pearls Found in Street.

Washington, Feb. 14.—At police headquarters is a small leather casket, containing a fortune in pearl jewelry, and detectives are seeking its owner. It was picked up in the middle of a street in the fashionable section of the capital by W. B. Dixon, driver of a delivery wagon, and turned over to the police. The collection includes two bracelets, several pins and brooches, a number of rings and a pearl chain. More than 100 pearls form the settings.

Commons Fails to Punish Editor Maxse

London, Feb. 14.—The house of commons did not send Maxse, editor of the National Review, to the clock tower for his refusal to reveal the source of information on which he had based allegations of improper conduct against some of the cabinet ministers. The house evaded giving a definite decision on the issues raised by agreeing to "do nothing at present."

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Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.—Advertisement.

Omar Fisher and Miss Grace Fisher went to St. Joseph Mo. to visit Dr. George

Mrs. J. T. Hay for some time at avenue, is consid

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Visited at the Junction.

Miss Josephine Ault of Arkoe and Mrs. Earl Allen and son of Council Bluffs were in Maryville Wednesday on their way to Miss Ault's home from a visit at Burlington Junction with Mrs. Jonathan Graves.

BRONCHITIS PREVALENT.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Man Tells of Best Remedy.

At this season of year with such sudden changes, it is so easy to take cold, and almost before one is aware there is inflammation in the bronchial tubes—a hard cough and unless checked in time chronic pulmonary troubles may result.

Wilbur Adams of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "A severe bronchial trouble contracted in January caused me much difficulty about breathing. My chest felt clogged up and there was considerable soreness, all of which made me quite uneasy, besides being very painful."

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PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on the farm, 5 1/2 miles southwest of Maryville.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1913

Beginning at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property: 20 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—3 mares, ages 5, 6 and 8 years, well broke and good ones; 4 heavy work horses, smooth mouth, good work animals; 1 span of mules 8 and 9 years, well broke; 3 coming 2-year-old mules, 1 good coming yearling mare mule, 6 coming 2-year-old colts, Phenix bred; 1 coming yearling bay filly, coach bred.

144 HEAD OF CATTLE—60 head of good native steers, feeders, nearly all red, in good flesh; 56 of the same kind only younger and lighter weight. These cattle will be sold in lots of 20 or less. 10 head of coming 2-year-old high grade Shorthorn heifers, 3 coming 2-year-old Shorthorn heifers from the Captain Harmon herd of milk strain Shorthorn, eligible to record; 6 head of good milk cows, all heavy with calf, 2 with young calves. These are a good lot of milkers. 6 coming yearling steers and heifer calves; 1 coming 2-year-old registered Shorthorn bull, Hampton's Goods, sold by Bellows Bros.; 2 long yearling Shorthorn bulls, eligible to record; 1 coming 2-year-old grade bull, Red Poll.

HOGS—140 head, consisting of brood sows and stock hogs, a few fat hogs and about 25 late fall pigs, 1 registered Chester White boar, 1 registered Poland-China boar. Most all of these hogs have been through the cholera and are perfectly healthy.

FARM IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY—15-horse power gasoline engine, practically as good as new; Ohio ensilage cutter, with all pipes, etc. for filling, it is not worn to speak of never having done any work but mine; Bowser No. 8 feed mill; manure spreader, nearly new; 1-horse wheat and corn drill, nearly new; 4 good farm wagons, 2-seated high grade surrey, nearly new, top buggy, nearly new Case corn planter, a full line of cultivators, listers, stirring plows, disc harrows and disc cultivators, 4 sets double work harness, set double luggy harness, rubber mounted, set single harness, a lot of native lumber, a lot of extra large burr oak fence posts, corner and gate posts, galvanized water tank, some baled hay and corn, also 108 bushels of choice timothy seed, some household and kitchen furniture, malleable steel range, heating stoves, a dozen or more feed bunks, hog troughs and many other articles too numerous to mention which are invariably included in a closing out sale.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given purchaser giving bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

A. C. Nicholas

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale the following described property at the Oak Hill Stock Farm, 4 1/2 miles east of Maryville, on

Tuesday, February 18

8 HEAD OF HORSES—1 bay horse 7 years old, weight 1300; 1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1250; 1 black mare, smooth mouth, weight 1100; 1 bay horse 3 years old, weight 1200; 1 span black horse colts, 2 years old, weight 1000; 1 bay colt 2 years old, weight 900; 1 gray mare 2 years old, weight 1100.

ABOUT 50 HEAD OF HOGS—14 tried sows and 10 gilts, 10 head of barrows, fat; 1 Poland-China male hog; rest are shoats and pigs. All of these hogs have been through the cholera and are thoroughly immune.

FEDS AND IMPLEMENTS—About 500 bushels of corn, about 6 tons of hay, 4 tons straw, and about 150 bushels oats. One Moline wagon, a good one; 1 John Deere lister and drill combined, 1 16-inch stirring plow, 1 McCormick mower, 1 McCormick rake, 2 sets work harness, 1 set buggy harness, 1 New Departure cultivator, nearly new; 1 National separator No. 12, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale have been complied with. Lunch by ladies of Mt. Airy.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
Geo. B. Baker, Clerk.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

As we are to dissolve partnership, we will sell at the Pat Gorman farm 6 miles east and 4 1/2 miles north of Maryville, and 9 miles southwest of Parnell, and 8 miles northwest of Ravenwood, on

Thursday, February 20

The following property:

25 HEAD OF HORSES, MARES AND MULES—2 horses coming 5 years old, 10 head of horses and mares coming 4 years old, 5 head of horses and mares coming 3 years old, 6 yearling colts and 1 weanling colt, 1 mule coming 5 years old. These horses and mares are all draft bred and are as good quality as can be found in this or any other county. Will be fat and in good shape by sale day.

25 HEAD OF CATTLE—2 extra good milk cows, 1 fresh, other will freshen soon; 9 2-year-old heifers, 14 head of spring calves, good ones.

57 HEAD OF HOGS—22 head of brood sows, 35 head of stock hogs.

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds.

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MEDIATION IS URGED ON TAFT

Pan-American Union Suggests

Substitute for Intervention.

WOULD APPOINT COMMISSION.

Federals and Rebels Would Be Asked Temporarily to Stop Fighting. Three Hundred Thousand Americans in Mexico.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Mediation in Mexico rather than intervention, by the appointment of a Pan-American commission, was urged upon President Taft, Senator Cullom of the foreign relations committee and Representative Flood of the foreign relations committee by John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American union. The commission, which it is suggested, should seek to bring about a readjustment of Mexican affairs, would be composed of a statesman from the United States, an eminent Latin American diplomat now in Washington and an influential Mexican.

Mr. Barrett suggested for the commission such men as Senator Root or William J. Bryan, Senator Calderon, minister from Bolivia, or Dr. De Pena, minister from Uruguay, and Senor De La Barra of Mexico, former ambassador to the United States. The mediation proposal was made after conferences with members of the senate and house and following renewed assurances from the state department that there is no present intention of departing from the established policy of dealing with the situation in Mexico.

Would Apply New Doctrine. In his letter outlining his plan, Mr. Barrett says that "it involves mediation rather than intervention, international American co-operation rather than individual United States action, and application of the Pan-American rather than of the Monroe doctrine."

The commission, he suggests, should investigate the situation in Mexico on the ground and make recommendation to Mexico which shall adjust the situation in favor of permanent peace and stability.

Through Ambassador Wilson in Mexico City the plan would be presented to the Mexican government and to the revolutionary leaders, who would be urged to cease hostilities "pending the action and report of the commission and it should be made known to the Mexican government and people that they would be expected with this moral support and interest of all America to carry out the conclusions of such international commission."

Taft Not Framing Message. Rumors that President Taft is framing a message to be sent to congress to lay before that body an exact statement of conditions in Mexico and so leaving an expression of its will for guidance of the administration was denied by officials who would be called upon to supply data for such a communication.

Discussing the Mexican situation in the house, Representative J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania said it would be deplorable "if in order to maintain the honor and dignity of the United States we should be obliged to send troops into Mexico, but if our well-intentioned diplomatic negotiations are to be trifled with, then, of course, the matter assumes a different aspect."

Approximately 300,000 American citizens are either temporarily or permanently residing in Mexico, according to estimates of the state department.

ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS ACTIVE
Opponents of Votes for Women Plan Rival Campaign.

Boston, Feb. 14.—If plans of anti-suffrage leaders are carried out, Washington is to be a battleground on which small armies of suffragists and anti-suffragists will contend during in August week for popular support. The proposal of the suffragists to carry their campaign for "votes for women" into the nation's capital in connection with the inaugural program was followed by formal announcement of an opposition movement, which provided for the mustering in Washington of all the available campaigning strength of the anti-suffragists.

Delegations of women from sixteen states are expected to go to Washington, according to leaders of the "anti" who are in this city. Leaders of the opposition plan to precede the suffragette "pilgrims" to Washington and to have the anti-suffragist campaign under way before those in favor of suffrage get started. A public meeting in a Washington theater, street displays and campaign of posters, hand bills, badges and buttons are included in the program.

Colorado Fuel and Iron Cuts Melon. New York, Feb. 14.—Directors of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company declared a dividend of 35 per cent on the preferred stock, a total of about \$1,480,000. The payment represents an accumulation of back dividends after a record year of earnings.

O'Neil Is Given Term in Prison. Coeur d'Alene, Ida., Feb. 14.—For having made false statements as to the financial condition of the State Bank of Commerce at Wallace, Ida., where he was president, B. F. O'Neil was sentenced to serve from two to ten years in the penitentiary.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

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Grize Golden Eggs. Golden eggs, per barrel above prices are applied.

MADEHO'S GENERALS.

General Villina and General Mongea. Who Are Aiding President.



Photo by American Press Association. General Villina is at left, with aid in center. The picture was taken at a recent skirmish with the rebels.

STUDENTS GREET SUFFRAGE ARMY

Thirteen Women Arrive at Princeton After Severe March.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 14.—The state capitol of Princeton university, with the appendage "Votes for women! Votes for women!" greeted the "army" of suffragettes which is marching to Washington when it arrived here. The women, thirteen strong, had covered twenty-seven miles in eight hours of active walking and several of them were on the point of exhaustion when the lights of the university town twinkled a welcome.

"General" Rosalie Jones, commander of the expedition, declared that for real hardship the walk exceeded anything she had experienced. "Corporal" Martha Platchen, who weighs less than five feet tall, had to be supported the last four miles of the march. She staggered into the village an hour after the arrival of the vanguard, pluckily refusing offers of a lift from passing automobiles.

HARD COAL TRUST ATTACKED
Government Files Civil Suit in Federal Court at Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 14.—Further prosecution of the "hard coal trust" was begun here by the federal government in a civil suit against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal company, charging violations of both the Sherman anti-trust law and the commodities clause of the interstate commerce act.

It is understood that this move may be followed by one or more similar suits against other anthracite carrying railroads and their allied coal companies. The government's petition in equity alleges that the coal carrying roads and their affiliated coal companies, including the defendants, make and control the f. o. b. prices of an anthracite at the terminals of New York, the chief distributing center, which regulates the prices in other markets.

Woman Given Prison Term for Bigamy. Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—An indeterminate sentence of from three to five years in the state prison at Stillwater was given to Mrs. Lola Pierce-Rothe Berg in the district court here. The woman was convicted of bigamy. She is alleged to have married Union Rothe of Des Moines, Sept. 11, 1912, and Frank Berg in Minneapolis two months later while her first husband, William Pierce of Seattle, still was living.

Two Sorties From Adrianople Repulsed. Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 14.—Two at tempted sorties by the beleaguered Turkish garrison of Adrianople were repulsed by the Bulgarians. The Turks lost more than 1,000 killed and wounded, according to the official report of the Bulgarian war office.

Ethel Roosevelt Becomes Engaged.

New York, Feb. 14.—Colonel and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt made known the engagement of their second daughter, Ethel C. Roosevelt, to Dr. Richard Derby, son of the late Richard H. Derby of New York, the Times says.

Cash Register Heads Held Guilty.

Cincinnati, Feb. 14.—A verdict of guilty on three counts was found by the jury trying the case of the twenty-nine officers or former officers of the National Cash Register company here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Helwig of Eldorado, Ark., left for their home Wednesday evening, after a few days' visit with Mr. Helwig's mother, Mrs. S. A. Helwig.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel (European), 313 South Sixth street. Heated Rooms 50 cents a day.

Bank Bldg. went to De-ALB. MO. to visit her

BROOKLYN TABERNACLE BIBLE STUDY

ABRAHAM, THE HEBREW. Genesis 12:1-9—Feb. 16.

"I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing."—Verse 2. ABRAHAM is one of the greatest characters in history. God's promises made to him constitute the foundation of faith for Jews, Christians and Mohammedans, although many of them are not aware of the fact. The Jews are Abraham's descendants through Isaac and Jacob; while Mohammedans represent especially Ishmael and Esau. Christians profess to have become heirs to the chief blessings promised to Abraham's Seed, becoming "Abraham's children" through Christ Jesus, whom they consider the antitype of Isaac.

The New Testament claim is that the Church of Christ is the antitype of Isaac, Isaac's wife and joint-heir; and that Christ and the Church, as the Spiritual Seed of Abraham, will be God's agency in blessing the nations. But much of the New Testament teachings was lost during the Dark Ages. Christians forgot that they were called to be joint-heirs in Messiah's "In thy seed shall all be blessed."

Kingdom, to bless all the families of the earth. Instead, they got the narrow view that merely the Elect would be saved, who to all eternity would look over the battlements of Heaven and see all others of mankind in torture, and hear their groans to all eternity.

Only now are Bible students getting back to the teachings of Scripture. Only now are we learning the true import of St. Paul's words, "If ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's Seed, and heirs according to the promise."

God's Call to Abraham. Abraham's birthplace was Ur, one hundred twenty miles north of the Persian Gulf. His father Terah was a heathen. Polytheism prevailed—the worshiping of many gods. From Ur, the family migrated to Haran, about five hundred miles in the direction of Palestine. There Abraham remained until Terah's death.

God's dealings with Abraham, according to St. Stephen (Acts 7:2, 3), began while he was in Ur. God called him out of his evil surroundings, to be the founder of a new nation, holy and obedient to God. The migration from Ur to Haran took the family away from the idolatrous scenes of the metropolis to pastoral life. In harmony with the Divine call, Abraham, then seventy-five years old, his wife Sarah, and his nephew Lot, with their flocks and herds, moved to Canaan after the death of Terah.

Abraham's Great Faith in God. Abraham was full of faith. This feature of his character especially endeared him to the Almighty, who, because of it, styled him His friend. The Bible does not claim that Abraham was perfect. "There is none righteous (perfect), no, not one." (Romans 3:10) None measure up to the glorious image of God represented by Adam.

Abraham was not the friend of God because of his great education, nor for his wonderful intellectual powers. Nevertheless, he had intellectual powers. The fact that he was a very rich indicates that he was a good manager. His skill as a leader was shown when Lot and the wealthy Sodomites were taken captive by Chedorlaomer. Abraham promptly armed three hundred and eighteen of his servants, pursued the victors and recovered the spoils. But it was not for his skill as a general that God loved Abraham. The special quality that God esteemed in him is repeatedly mentioned in the Bible as having been his faith. "Abraham believed God."

Children of Abraham. Abraham's children, from God's standpoint, include only those who have faith in God.

The original evidence of this faith and obedience was circumcision of the flesh, figuratively representing a turning away from sin to obedience to God. Circumcision has become largely a ceremony with the Jews. Such faithless circumcision entitles them to no special Divine favor. But all Jews who still trust in the promises made to Abraham will soon be recipients of marked evidences of Divine blessing through Messiah, who soon is to set up God's Kingdom.

St. Paul explains that all true Christians become the Spiritual Seed of Abraham—heirs of certain spiritual promises, as the natural seed are heirs of certain earthly promises, not yet fulfilled. As the natural seed must maintain circumcision to mark their separateness from the Gentiles, so the Spiritual Seed must have circumcision of the heart—separating them from the world and from sin, marking them as "peculiar people, zealous of good works."

We exhort both Jews and Christians to honesty and faithfulness—obedience to God, the one claim, that they may inherit the Heavenly promises; the other, that they may be ready for the inheritance which will be theirs as soon as the Heavenly, Spiritual Seed of Abraham shall have been completed.

Misses Pearl and Bertha Snapp returned to their employment in Kansas City Thursday, after a two months' stay in Maryville on account of the illness of their father, John Snapp, who is improving from his serious illness.

A. A. Thummel and Miss Coga Thummel of Parnell, who have been making a short visit with Mr. Thummel's daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis, returned home Friday.

Joseph Skidmore and George Rinel of Guilford were transacting business in the city Thursday.

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WANTED—Girl to strip tobacco learn to pack cigars. Hutton's cigar factory. 13-15

LOST—Saturday afternoon, a white cameo pin, delicately tinted, woman's head, medium size. Leave at this office. Reward. 14-17

FOR SALE—A few special bargains in Maryville city property if sold this month. See or phone Allen Brothers, the land men. 14-17

FOR SALE—4 room house, 2 lots, good cave, fruit trees, well, etc. Southeast part of town. Inquire this office. 13-14

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